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ESTIMATES 1,355 JAPANESE PLANES LOST

MANY SHOT DOWN IN AIR COMBAT

Chinese Now Admit Hukow Captured

Hankow, July 8.

No fewer than 570 Japanese war planes have been destroyed by the Chinese air force and anti-aircraft batteries during one year of hostilities, declared Colonel Mao Pang-chu, Chief of Aerial Operations in the Chinese Air Force to-day.

Colonel Mao added: "A total of 243 Japanese aircraft have actually been shot down in combat in the air and 138 have been destroyed on the ground by Chinese bombing operations. Chinese anti-aircraft batteries have shot down 163. The remaining 26 shot down have not been located.

"The aircraft destroyed include 64 heavy bombers, 90 light bombers, 54 pursuit planes, 13 scouting planes, 19 seaplanes and 320 unidentified.

"The losses due to accident probably totaled 705 machines, thus bringing the number of Japanese aircraft lost during the year to the vast total of 1,355. The number of officers in the Japanese air force to lose their lives during the first year of war probably totals 1,100."—*Reuter Special.*

Admit Hukow's Capture

Hankow, July 8.
The Central Government authorities now admit the loss of Hukow, which was occupied by the Japanese on Tuesday morning.—*United Press.*

Details of Attack

Hankow, July 8.
When the Japanese troops landed at Hukow on Tuesday, Chinese reports state, another column of troops simultaneously advanced on the South bank of the Yangtze River, reaching a point about eight miles east of Hukow.

The Japanese succeeded in penetrating the Chinese positions, it is admitted.

After the arrival of reinforcements on Wednesday morning, the Chinese counter-attacked, and allegedly occupied Lungtoushan, east of Hukow, and also Mayinchiao, to the south-east of the city.—*Reuter.*

Chinese Counter-Attack

Nanchang, July 8.
Chinese troops are counter-attacking the Japanese in the Hukow area with favourable results. It is now ascertained that the Japanese broke through the Chinese artillery positions there in the afternoon of July 5.

Lungtoushan, a hill commanding a strategic position about ten kilometres east of Hukow, was recaptured by the Chinese yesterday morning. About 2,000 Japanese were killed in this engagement.

Following the recapture of this height, the retreat of the Japanese in the Hukow area has been cut.

Several villages in the vicinity, including Changsun, Taintsun and Totsun, were also recaptured. Japanese troops rushed from Matang to reinforce their comrades in the Hukow area but were beaten back.—*Central News.*

DEATH ROLL ADMITTED TO BE 251

Kobe, July 8.
The death roll in Kobe is now officially admitted to be 251. Over thirteen hundred people are injured, many of them seriously.—*United Press.*

Italians Fire On French Territory

Rome, July 7.

The French Charge d'Affaires in Rome has protested to the Foreign Office regarding an alleged incident involving two French tourists.

The Frenchmen accidentally crossed the frontier into Italian territory, but as soon as they realised their mistake they returned to French soil.

Nevertheless, the Italian frontier guards fired on while they were in French territory. One of the men was seriously wounded.—*Reuter.*

BUILDING PLANES FOR R.A.F.

American Company Starts On Order

Los Angeles, July 7.
The Lockheed Aircraft Corporation, Burbank, California, has announced that production is starting next week of the 200 aircraft suitable for general reconnaissance, purchased by the British Government for the Royal Air Force.

This order comprises half of the total order for 400 aircraft placed by the British Government with American manufacturers.

The balance of the order, for 200 aircraft suitable for advanced training, was placed with the North American Aviation Inc., Inglewood, California.

The purchases were recommended by the British air mission which recently went to the U.S.A., and which also pursued discussions with Canadian firms on the possibility of increased capacity there for making planes on a long-range plan.

The value of the order placed with the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation is U.S.\$7,000,000.

AMERICAN MARINES DRIVE OUT JAPANESE

Gendarmes Evicted From Shanghai Patrol Area

Shanghai, July 8.

U.S. Marines evicted two lorries filled with Japanese gendarmes, including plainclothes men, when they attempted to search a Chinese in the American sector this morning.

The lorries were escorted across the Yu Ya Ching Road boundary, where the Japanese parked for half-an-hour, apparently undecided as to what to do.

Afterwards the lorries returned to Hongkong.

Several bridges across Soochow Creek have been re-opened, but the American defence sector is still closed.—*United Press.*

Skirmishes Near Peiping

Railway Cut North Of Lukouchiao

Peiping, July 7.
The anniversary of the Lukouchiao incident passed quietly in Peiping, the only local disturbances being the cutting of the Peiping-Mentoukou Railway near Sanchelien, eight miles north of Lukouchiao, by Chinese guerrillas.

There were a few isolated skirmishes between guerrillas and Japanese in the vicinity of Peiping. Japanese gendarmes and Chinese police cleared the streets of Peiping at 7.30 a.m. when General Terauchi, his Staff Japanese Embassy officials and a delegation of Provisional Government officials drove to the forbidden city of Taimiao, where a special ceremony in memory of Japan's war dead was held.

Japanese shops in Peiping were all closed, the entire Japanese population participating in various meetings throughout the city.

Japanese reservists marched to Lukouchiao, where a small monument marking the actual spot of the "incident" was unveiled.—*United Press.*

machines will be completed before the end of 1939.

The Lockheed two-engined bombers ordered for the Royal Air Force have a speed of 225-250 m.p.h. Lockheed Aircraft Corporation is principally devoted to the manufacture of high-speed all-metal commercial aircraft for mail and passenger service. Some of the machines—the Lockheed Electra—have flown thousands of miles on British Empire airway systems.—*Reuter.*

CANADA'S UNEMPLOYED are creating a difficult problem. Recently some hundreds of them seized the General Post Office (where they slept) and other public buildings in Vancouver, B.C. They demanded relief, food and shelter. When they did not get guarantees of these they rioted and fought with police. Authorities assert that many of these "unemployed" are paid agitators, some of them Americans. The Royal Canadian Mounted Police are investigating the whole situation, while the British Columbia Prime Minister, Mr. T. D. Pattullo, says: "If you want to work, go on the land." But the men want jobs in the cities.

BRITAIN UNCERTAIN OF ATTITUDE IN BOMBING QUARREL

London, July 7.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain stated in the House of Commons that he was as yet unable to make a full statement regarding the Insurgent reply to the British Note on the bombing of British ships.

The British Government had found it necessary to ask the Burgos authorities to explain the exact meaning they attach to their disclaimer of their intentions of deliberately attacking British ships, said Mr. Chamberlain.

The British Government has frequently expressed the view that the deliberate bombing and sinking of merchantmen is never admitted by International Law, still less the machine-gunning of their bridges and decks (*Cheers*).

The Government would give most sympathetic consideration to the practical proposals which the Burgos authorities intimated they would make for the purpose of humanising warfare, the Prime Minister went on.

Referring to the Burgos proposal for the establishment of a "safe" port at Almeria, a preliminary examination had revealed difficulties, such as deficiencies in such a plan for discharging vessels, lack of communication with the rest of Spain, and other factors.

The British Government was at present considering the views of British shipping interests on the matter.

Replying to Mr. Clement Attlee, the leader of the Opposition, Mr. Chamberlain said that consideration must be borne in mind whether, by the establishment of a special port, he right to bomb other areas would be admitted by the British Government.

Meanwhile, Sir Robert Hodgson, the British Agent in Burgos, is remaining in London for the present.—*Reuter.*

SUEZ CANAL STRIKE NOT STOPPING SHIPS

Port Said, July 7.

The strike of workshop employees of the Suez Canal Company continued to-day. General workers and transits of the canal are not affected by the strike and so far there have been no incidents.—*Reuter.*

ITALIANS PRAISE JAPANESE

Prowess Of Army Widely Acclaimed

Rome, July 7.

The first anniversary of the Sino-Japanese war was extensively noted in Italian newspapers by articles praising the Japanese military prowess.—*Reuter.*

CONQUEST IMPOSSIBLE

Berlin, July 7.

"The unity of 450,000,000 people in China will succeed in driving out the enemy and restoring the integrity and sovereignty of our land," said the Chinese Ambassador, in an address to 400 Chinese residents of Germany on the occasion of the first anniversary of the Sino-Japanese War.

"Japan will never bring China to her knees. The deeper the Japanese invade our land the greater will be the difficulties they will encounter."—*Reuter.*

POLICE EXHAUSTED AFTER HOURS OF CONTINUOUS DUTY

Martial Law Possible If Situation Grows Worse

London, July 7.

While latest reports of terrorist outbreaks in Palestine are viewed with anxiety in London, there is no disposition to believe that the situation is getting out of hand.

In view of the nature of the country and the type of disturbances, the problem of keeping order would be more a matter for mobile police than the military authorities. Nevertheless, cantonments are now being constructed to house the additional brigade of troops which, as announced last May, will be sent to Palestine in the autumn, making the total military strength in Palestine three brigades.

Should the situation at any time be deemed sufficiently serious, the High Commissioner can delegate military powers with respect to the whole country to the General Officer Commanding the military forces in Palestine.—*Reuter Special.*

TWO BATTALIONS TO PALESTINE

London, July 8.

Two Battalions of British troops have been ordered to Palestine from Egypt at the earliest possible date.—*Reuter.*

EMERALD FOR HAIFA

Jerusalem, July 7.

H.M.S. Emerald is expected to arrive at Haifa this afternoon in view of the tense situation there.

Official figures dealing with yesterday's terrorist outrages in Haifa give twenty-one Arabs and six Jews killed, 92 Arabs and eleven Jews injured.

Further outrages occurred to-day, when a Deputy Police Superintendent had a narrow escape when a bomb was flung into his car outside the Hotel Nazareth. His revolver jammed (Continued on Page 4.)

Czechs' Big Problem Not Yet Settled

Prague, July 7.

Dr. Milan Hodza and the Sudeten-German representatives to-day resumed negotiations, suspended during the Sokol festivities, concerning the drafting of a Nationalities Statute.

Efforts are being made to reach a compromise on eight points submitted by Herr Konrad Henlein, the Sudeten leader, but it is doubtful whether the draft will be ready for submission to the Parliamentary Committee at the end of this week, as was hoped.—*Reuter.*

PEIPING STERNLY RULED

Virtual Martial Law Enforced

Peiping, July 7.

The Provisional Government ordered all flags to be half-masted, but few were flown.

Meanwhile the Chinese populace is virtually under Martial Law, with the police searching passers-by in the main streets continually since yesterday afternoon. All inns were ransacked. One inn was searched on six occasions yesterday.

A large number of Chinese were arrested last night, including one of the editors of the official Hsin Min Pao.

Police were seen frequently conducting groups of arrested Chinese to gaol.

Police circles boast that Peiping's most important Communist was arrested yesterday, but there is no official confirmation of the report.

The atmosphere of expectant tension, so noticeable yesterday, relaxed considerably this afternoon as nothing happened.—*United Press.*

STOP PRESS

Duke Of Kent Inspects New China Flagship

London, July 7.

H.M.S. Kent, which was recently re-commissioned as flagship of the China Station, to replace H.M.S. Cumberland, was inspected by the Duke of Kent to-day.

The Duke flew by air to Rochester, motoring from there to Chatham Dockyard, where he was met by Admiral Sir Edward Evans, Commander-in-Chief of the North.

Accompanied by Flag Officers, His Royal Highness and the Commander-in-Chief embarked on the Admiral's Barge and proceeded down the Medway to Sheerness, where they went on board H.M.S. Kent, which arrived there on Tuesday after undergoing a large re-fit.

The visit of the Duke of Kent coincided with an inspection of H.M.S. Kent by the Commander-in-Chief before the cruiser departed for the Far East this week.

The Duke had luncheon aboard the cruiser with the Commanding Officer, Captain L. H. Ashmore.—*British Wireless.*

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BEAUTY PINK-LIDO GREEN-DUTCH BLUE-TIGER GOLD

★ here are the new colours for the

OPEN AIR GIRL

WISE sports girls are careful in choosing clothes for summer week-ends. My advice to them is to remember that fabrics are of first importance if they want their dresses to look fresh all through the summer.

Something that will wash repeatedly is what they need, and good "wearing" materials are receiving my serious attention just now.

For bright, sunshiny days colours have taken on a pastel tone this year. They look lovely against the dark foliage of the river banks, effective by the sea, and for spectator sports by the swimming pool.

Ivory, too, is used as the background for gaily coloured designs and Jersey a pois is the attractive name of the Celanese fabric selected for pattern No. 1152.

Brightly coloured minute dice shaped spots in five different contrasting shades have an ivory background in the material used for this little suit.

Orange, blue, brown and green are the shades in the one I have chosen. Both dress and jacket have sleeves. Bodice of frock is buttoned to waist and trimmed with pockets, and the skirt has panel pleat in front only.

Collarless jacket comes to just below the hips, a useful length if you are very slim, and is also decorated with pockets to match.

Four sizes are available, as this is a good style for the small woman—32.



First, a neat dress and jacket in ivory dotted Jersey a pois. Next, a comfortable divided skirt for tennis and all sports



Savoury Rolls

HERE is a choice of dainty roll sandwiches for tea-time picnics or buffet suppers

Crab and Cucumber

Slice the cucumber, drain it well. Flake the crab. Mix equal quantities of crab and cucumber with a small minced onion, and sufficient salad cream to moisten.

Corned Beef

Corned beef sandwiches are good.

Shred the beef, add a teaspoonful of Worcester sauce, a little made mustard and a lettuce leaf. Blend well together, then spread between buttered rolls.

Tomato Cream

A few drops of onion juice add a new flavour to tomato sandwiches. Plunge the tomatoes into boiling water for a few moments, skin, then mash to a pulp. Add a tiny drop of onion juice, or a little chopped hard-boiled egg.

Season with a sprinkling of pepper and salt and serve between bridge rolls.

Salad Mixture

Fresh salad, such as lettuce, cucumber, watercress, and tomatoes, makes delicious eating.

Arrange the lettuce, a slice of tomato and cucumber, then sprinkle with salad cream and a little grated cheese.

Savoury Shrimps

Here's a favourite: Flavour some ready picked shrimps with a few drops of lemon juice, then spread between milk bread rolls. They are also tasty mixed with hard-boiled egg.

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It is not every girl whose legs are good enough for shorts, and the divided skirt is getting more popular every year. The charm of pattern No. 1153 is that when you are standing still the design looks like an ordinary skirt.

By means of deep pleats you have a dress that gives you the same freedom of movement as shorts.

You will find this style useful, too, for cycling and walking on hot days. Cut with the new yoke top, it is buttoned to below the waist, so is easy to slip on and off. Easy to get into, and out of, it doesn't spoil your hair when making a quick change.

Two sharply pointed pockets prevent the impression of width at the hips. There is a lovely range of new colours, and here they are for your choice.

Beauty pink, the colour of apple blossom, canteloupe, which is a light tangerine, Dutch blue, lido green, new azure, oyster, reseda, tiger gold, and ivory.

They will meet your requirements

Marry Someone "Different"

A WELL-known novelist recently declared how desirable it was for people to marry who shared the same interests.

"You are always sure of sympathy and help," she affirmed, "are never short of topics to talk about, and above all, both work with the same end in view. I think it is a splendid idea."

On the surface the scheme sounds as though it would work well, but in fact, it rarely does.

As a practical case one couple, both keen classical scholars, found to their dismay that after six months marriage they were bored to tears of one another's company. They both read the same type of books, thought the same kind of thoughts, and generally acted in such perfect accord that there was a most depressing lack of stimulation.

And stimulation is what one needs if married life is to be a success. One partner should be able to open up new paths of thought for the other, to "roughen his mind" with thoughts and theories which he had not previously considered.

After all, it is dull for a man to come home to his wife, full of stories of the wonderful way he did his round of golf that morning, only to find that she knows every bunker as well as he does. The joy in the telling soon flags.

This does not mean that there should not be some harmony. There should. But a great musician will marry a wife whose only interest in life is painting, and they will get along splendidly, whereas a wife who knows too much of his subject is apt to be merely an irritant, critical where she should be admiring. Opposite Interests

Naturally, because you are keen on dancing it does not follow that your only chance of happiness is to marry a man who cannot bear the sight of a ballroom. There would soon be friction over your dance partners. But it does mean that because he is a clever science master you need not worry if your acquaintance with the subject is confined to a dim recollection of once breaking a test tube. He will be only too glad to forget the subject once he gets home. And therein lies the whole point of this "different" idea. A man does like to forget his daily work when he gets home. He can't, if his wife insists on talking about it in a thoroughly learned sort of way. But he can forget it if her

for an all-purpose summer frock. Size 34in. bust takes 3½ yds. 36in. bust takes 3½ yds. 36in. bust takes 3½ yds. 36in. bust takes 3½ yds.

Celanese Cruising Crepe. Other sizes available are: 32, 36, and 40in. bust.

Now just a word on washing these fabrics. If you want them to retain their freshness, on no account may they be boiled.

Use good quality soap flakes in lukewarm water, and squeeze gently, rinse well to remove the soap, and roll in a towel, pull the garment carefully into shape, then iron.

Your iron should be cool, and press the reverse side of fabrics, and keep the iron moving; avoid pressure over the buttons, seams and trimmings.

The results will be worth the trouble taken.

Ironing Hints

CLOQUE is one of the fashionable materials for day and evening wear just now. It is seen in dresses and two-piece suits, in informal and formal functions, and it is, altogether, a member of the hard-working fabric fraternity.

The preservation of its appearance, therefore, is important, so here is a hint about ironing the fabric which is worth noting. Cloque should always be ironed when nearly dry, and you should not press too hard with the iron upon the material. The material should be stretched both ways when you are ironing it.

Crepe fabrics, which are also very much to the fore in the summer fashion scene, should be ironed in the same way as cloque. The stretching of the material in both directions is most important, as merely sliding the iron over the material is not sufficient for these fabrics.

When you fold some garment on the ironing board be careful that you do not iron the material on the cross. Do not iron along the hem of the garment either. The hem, and the edge of the article where the fold is should be pressed, and the rest of the article should be ironed in the direction of the material. Always iron on the straight of the material.

These hints on ironing were given by Mrs. Markham, a representative from the Lux Washability Bureau of Lever Bros., during a short conversation yesterday in the fabrics department of Patrick Thomson, Ltd., North Bridge, Edinburgh.

Mrs. Markham shows the fabrics which have passed the "washability test" of the Bureau, and gives hints on laundering the various materials to anyone who cares to consult her. She will be available at the shop until Saturday of this week.

Among the interesting materials which can be seen are spun rayon, crepes, and cottons, in bright patterns, and a new material in art silk featuring a lace effect. This new fabric in pastel shades is suitable for lingerie, and it, like the others, has passed the test.

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FOR LUSTROUS HAIR

Refreshing Summer Drinks

IN hot weather we grow lyrical over thirst-quenching drinks, and sit up and take notice at the sound of ice-creaking against glass.

A cooling fruit cocktail is a good beginning to a hot weather lunch. It whips up the palate for the meal, and refreshes you.

For a tomato juice cocktail, strain the juice from sound, ripe tomatoes, press through a fine sieve to clear them of coarse fibre in the pulp, and also seeds. Flavour to taste with salt and pepper and a squeeze of lemon juice.

Another appetiser comes from orange and lemon juice used in small quantities. If the cocktail is unsweetened, add a few grains of sugar.

Grape-fruit juice and mint makes an interesting drink. Squeeze the juice from the grape-fruit and stir in very finely chopped mint, to which a little caster sugar has been added. Pour into cocktail glasses and finish with a mint leaf floating on each. Instead of mint, some people like lemon juice and a slice of lemon can take the place of the mint leaf. For Those Who Are Slimming

Pine apple juice cocktail is for the slimming student. Fresh juice squeezed from the fruit is best, but tinned pineapple can be used. Drain the liquid and add sufficient lemon juice to give it a tang. Serve ice cold in cocktail glasses with potato crisps and salted almonds.

Pear and pineapple juice make good companions. And to give a pear and pineapple cocktail a good complexion, add just a touch of preserved raspberry juice, that is if fresh raspberries are not available. No sugar will be needed, and if the cocktail is not sharp enough in flavour add a little lemon juice.

A tasty short drink can be made from a mixture of fruit juices. Lemon, pineapple, orange, and raspberry juice are mixed together. A wafer slice of banana and a mint leaf should decorate each glass.

When it comes to "long" drinks, orangeade is certain to be in request. Make this by pouring a pint of boiling water on to the rinds of four oranges. These should be pared very thinly. After covering for half a day, make a syrup with a pint and a half of water and half a pound of sugar, adding this to the rinds, together with the juice of the oranges and the juice of three extra oranges. Stir energetically, then strain and add a little extra lemon juice if you wish.

Almond Water and Mint Sherbert

Almond water is very simple to make, and pleasing to the palate. Place four ounces of sweet almonds and one of bitter almonds in a pan with a quart of cold water. Bring to the boil and simmer very slowly for half an hour. Add three-quarters of a pound of sugar and allow this to dissolve. Strain and bottle. Half a cupful of the water in soda makes a glorious "long" drink.

Mint sherbert is a most refreshing drink and takes very little trouble to make. Dissolve one pound of sugar in a quart of water and add several leaves of chopped mint. Cover the bowl for an hour, then add the juice of three fine lemons. Strain before serving.

Have you tried a coffee milk "shake"? This has the merit of being stimulating as well as refreshing. For each glass allow sufficient coffee essence to make a breakfast cup full.

Mix the coffee with unsweetened condensed milk, allowing two table-spoonfuls to each glass of water. Sugar as you wish, then add the necessary amount of cold water and whisk in a large jug until frothy. The addition of a little ice cream makes this "shake" even more delightful.

M. W.

SUMMER BEAUTY

"THE most important part of making-up one's face is the application of the foundation cream or lotion," said Miss Winifred Pegler, one of Elizabeth Arden's London representatives, when giving a private demonstration of the new Elizabeth Arden summer make-ups recently.

"The foundation of your powder should always be carefully moulded into the face, for if the foundation is put on in a haphazard manner the rouge and powder cannot look right," she added.

The use of two different shades of powder was recommended. When making-up during the day, it was advisable, said the expert, to use a light shade of powder first, then apply a darker shade on top, to get the best even results. In the evening, the process had to be reversed, and a darker powder put on first, with a lighter shade on top, so that an effect of transparency and extreme clearness of skin could be obtained.

Powder should always be blended into the skin, it was stated. If it was applied carefully, it should stay on, without replenishing, for about three or four hours.

The two new make-ups which were shown on living models were called "sun tan" and "sun fair." The sun tan make-up could be used by those who were already tanned by the sun, or by those who were not, and wanted to acquire a "healthy, open-air" look.

The "sun fair" make-up had been introduced for those with very fine skin, and who wanted to perfect their skins from the strong rays of the sun. This make-up also gave a "healthy look" to the face.

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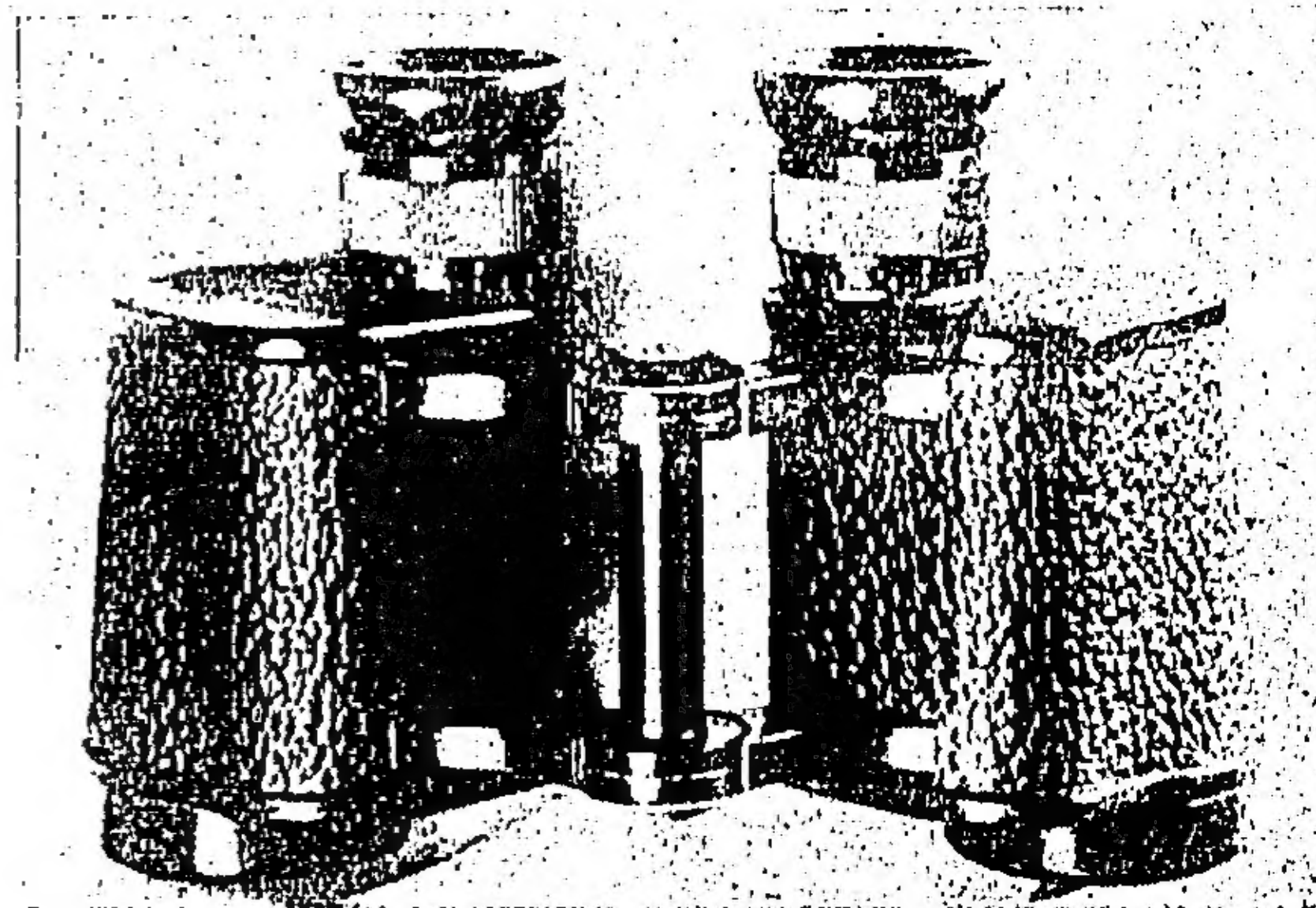
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GERMANY'S KEY INDUSTRIES ARE VULNERABLE FROM THE AIR



Baron Alexander von Falkenhausen, German military adviser to the Chinese army, ordered by Berlin to return home. Chinese officials are loath to release him and his aides from their contracts, which is pleasing to the Baron.

"NEUTRAL" STATES CANNOT ESCAPE ARMS RACE

Geneva. The so-called "neutral" states that have so far managed to remain aloof from the arms race are warned, in the March issue of the *International Labour Review*, published by the I.L.O., that it will be impossible for them to escape its aftermath. The warning is contained in the concluding article by British economist A. J. S. Baxter, on the economic effects of rearmament.

"The trend towards greater national self-sufficiency," he says, "and the greater riskiness of economic relations characteristic of a rearming world may suggest that, as international trade and capital movements become less important, 'neutral' countries that do not desire, or are not obliged, to enter the armaments race will escape the effects of it, and that if and when the boom collapses only the country immediately concerned will suffer."

Baxter says that though there may be some cause to support this view, it is doubtful whether even in the present restricted state of international trade and capital movements, national isolation from booms and slumps is very secure anywhere. "Pessimistic views about the economic future will pass national frontiers unchecked, to influence business men's decisions on both sides. More important, over-investment in any part of the world's economic system will cause the other parts to become adapted to it, so long as there is any international trade at all. It is easy to see for instance, that the American steel industry may be 'over-built' in consequence of orders connected directly or indirectly with European rearmament; but there may be less obvious cases of other industries whose increased exports to Europe set free resources there for armaments making. Thus expansions and contractions in all international trading countries are linked, whatever the exchange system. Isolation from the international repercussions of rearmament or disarmament is an illusion."

ARMAMENTS TRUCE NEEDED

The chief danger ahead, Baxter thinks, is that of a top-heavy structure of production in which the distribution of the stream of real resources between the capital goods industries and the consumption goods industries will fail to correspond to the distribution of the stream of money income between saving and spending. Though in some cases readjustment may be indefinitely postponed, most countries will have to deal with the inevitable recession when it comes.

Baxter continues, "The most hopeful beginning and the most hopeful guarantee for the success of a recovery policy, anywhere would be an effective armaments truce or armaments convention containing economic clauses embodying international agreement." The agreement would aim at three main results: firstly, the liberation and expansion of international trade in order to facilitate the diversion of war plant to peace-time production; secondly, a plain statement of national policy by the principal economic countries; thirdly, an exchange of information between them.

"The alternatives," he concludes, "to an armaments truce and some international economic understanding such as is here suggested are plain. Either rearmament will have its natural consequences in a world war precipitated perhaps by the economic breakdown of one of the competitors, or the burden of armaments expenditure will become so intolerable in the poorer countries as to produce widespread hardship with incalculable political consequences. It is certain that the economic problems that would be raised by a return to international common sense in this matter are not insoluble, given the very modest degree of co-operation which would be assured by an armaments truce itself.—United Press.

Big Problem In Military Preparations

The problem of how to protect from aerial bombardment one of the largest and most important of German factories, the Leuna Ammonia Works, covering four square miles, is being seriously studied by the authorities.

First erected in 1916 to produce synthetic nitrogen out of the air by the Haber-Bosch process, the Leuna Works have now expanded to one of the largest chemical plants in the world, using the resources of soft coal in the Saale River basin.

Like every chemical factory, the Leuna Works are a maze of open-air pipe-lines, distilleries and factory buildings quite impossible to camouflage. A primary reason for choosing in 1916 the present site of the factory was its distance from the frontier, writes the *Sunday Times* Berlin correspondent.

DEFENCE OF LEUNA

Now matters have changed. The Leuna Works can be reached by modern bombers from the Czechoslovakia border within twenty minutes. Since Leuna is the heart of Germany's newly created synthetic products industry, the problem of defending the works is an important chapter in Germany's military preparations.

Questioned on what plans had been made to defend the Leuna factories in case of war, the directors of the plants stated:

"All we can do is to build our plants in such a way that, if bombs should fall on any part of them, the damaged department can be taken out of production and a substitute can increase its output, so that production in other parts of the plant will not be held up. The main job, of course, is up to the Air Force, whose duty it is to see that enemy planes never reach the factory."

The directors insisted that no anti-aircraft guns were in position near the plant, but they admitted that they would be rushed to the neighbourhood should war break out.

In the days before the Nazis assumed power the German Army, which, under the Treaty of Versailles, was forbidden heavy artillery, prepared well-manned hide-outs for the guns they hoped to own some day. It must be assumed that since those days preparations have advanced.

It is true, German experts declare, that Germany is still short of divisional artillery; but Leipzig is one of the main centres of the German motorised army, and the Leuna Works, with its numerous plants established in the neighbourhood, would certainly be protected with anti-aircraft guns a few hours after mobilisation.

SALTPETRE AND ALCOHOL

The plant is really a combination of several factories. Its main products are synthetic saltpetre, synthetic petrol and lubricating oils. They are made from bituminous coal, taken from the pits in Central Germany. In addition, artificial fertilisers are produced. They are derived from the synthetic saltpetre for the production of which the factory was originally built.

In 1916, when Germany was in desperate need of saltpetre for armaments, Fritz Haber and Carl Bosch discovered a method of producing nitrogen and saltpetre from the air. Then, when saltpetre was no longer needed for the manufacture of explosives, chemists turned it into artificial fertilisers, which play an important part in Germany's fight for self-sufficiency.

In 1923 the Leuna Works started producing synthetic alcohol, which are used chiefly in internal combustion engines.

To-day they produce 370,000 tons of petrol annually, which added to the benzine produced in other German plants, provides Germany with a total of 1,000,000 tons annually, or about half of her present needs.

Boy Of Seventeen Jumps 6,000 Ft.

Seventeen-year-old Albert Gourd, of Eastern-street, Bristol, had always wanted to do a parachute drop.

So he did it, from 6,000ft. over the Clifton Suspension Bridge, Bristol.

HE landed on the roof of a house in Woodland-road, Bristol, and there remained hanging until rescued by means of a ladder.

Gourd, who is a member of the R.A.F. Reserve at Filton, said he had only been up once before, and had told his friends that he would do a jump.

"They kept chipping me," he said, "so I did it. I asked the R.A.F. if I could jump, but they refused."

"I went up this evening as an air gunner. The pilot did not know what I intended to do."

"I just took the parachute from the rack, attached it to the harness

Risked Life To Hang A Dummy

Undergraduates who looked out of their windows at Keble College, Oxford, were shocked to see what appeared to be a body hanging by about seven feet of rope from a gargoyles on a lofty tower above the quadrangle.

On investigation it was found that the "body" was a dummy. Some unknown climber had achieved a dangerous feat in which one false step would have led to real tragedy.

There have been other climbing escapades at Keble, and the college has been put to great expense repairing damage done by early-morning "mountaineers."

Godiva A Doubtful Starter

There may, after all, be on Lady Godiva in "nude" fleshings, mounted on a white charger, when Teddington, Middlesex, carnival takes place next month.

On the eve of choosing the girl to fill the role from the 18 applicants, the Fete Committee is discussing whether, after all, such a figure is "quite nice."

Last-minute qualms have been roused by a storm of protest by residents.

People who have helped with the carnival in previous years have refused to help this year unless Lady Godiva is withdrawn from the procession.

Mr. Ernest Green, retired business man, of Connaught Road, Teddington, has written in protest:

"Is our memorial hospital and health centre to be thus used for debasing the young womanhood and manhood of Teddington under the guise of charity?"

BIG GOLD RUSH

What prospectors describe as a rich gold strike has been made in the Franklin River area in the west of Vancouver Island.

There has been a rush of engineers and prospectors to the spot, cables the *Sunday Dispatch* Vancouver correspondent.

The Dominion Government report describes the area as possessing "a remarkable mineralised mass, justifying thorough prospecting."

Assays give high values of gold and silver.

Everything about the Mauretania is on the imposing scale. The main gear-wheels interposed between the turbines and the twin-propeller shafts are the largest ever built for a liner, measuring 46-11 in. in circumference and weighing 85 tons each.

The propellers, which are now being cast in London, weigh 25 tons each and are equal in size to those of the 81,000-ton Queen Mary.

So forward is the work in the ship that she is already receiving her launching coat of paint.

In view of the important Admiralty work now proceeding in the yard, it is probable that when the ship is launched naval vessels will be screened off by scaffolding and canvas.

Three Lipsticks Jailed Him

Seventeen-year-old Russell Burdick, who held up Miss Ruth Cary at the point of a revolver and stole her purse, has been sentenced to ten lashes and twelve months' imprisonment at Lindsay, Ontario.

His "haul"? Three lipsticks.



A new picture of President Edward Benes, troubled President of Czechoslovakia. He recently told 40,000 school children who called to congratulate him, in Prague, on his forthcoming 54th birthday, that "every citizen of this country may be sure of his constitutional rights and all nationalities are called to co-operate, so they can enjoy full freedom."

TRAMP WHO MET CZAR PUSHES A BARROW

Strange Career Of "The Vagabond"

There lives in Newbury a man whose story must be one of the strangest in the world—Mr. William Brockway, of Kennet Road, 6ft. 6in. giant, who likes to be called "The Vagabond."

For thirty years he has wandered through Europe, the most educated tramp who ever walked the roads by day and night.

Now he is married and settled. To-day you can see him wheeling a barrow through Newbury streets. Yet this man speaks nearly all the languages of Europe, is a specialist in antiques and precious stones, has been miner, soldier, smuggler, artist, model, translator and author.

SECRET MESSAGE

He once acted as a secret service agent for the Czar Nicolas of Russia, to whom he delivered a secret message at Kiel when the Czar went there to attend a regatta.

He sat for eight months for Dame Laura Knight. He has posed for Augustus John, and the Hon. John Collier.

He is a member of the secret underworld of tramps in Germany, France, Belgium, Holland, and Britain. He is respected by apaches in Paris.

His amazing life really began when, at the age of sixteen, he was left penniless and alone in Germany. Brockway has smuggled indigo and saffron from Luxembourg into Holland and France. With a friend he made £500 in three weeks running a lipster racing stunt.

He has found and sold valuable antiques.

One night, many years ago, he met Lowenstein the financier, who later leaped to death from his airplane in mid-Channel. Lowenstein gave him a packet of cigarettes. Inside was a £5 note and two sovereigns.

In an hotel in Epping Forest one day Brockway resented a word spoken by a negro. He felled the negro with one blow. It was Jack Johnson, the boxer, once heavyweight champion of the world.

Lenin crossed his path in the old fortifications of Metz, where hunted men from all parts of the world used to hide in safety.

Lenin was accompanied by a young man named Siplon, who fired a bullet at King Edward VII (then Prince of Wales) in Brussels.

VALUABLE SCRAPBOOK

Brockway the Vagabond has a crudely kept scrap-book, the pages of which are crammed with the letters and photographs of half the great public figures of Europe during the last thirty years.

Its value as an autograph book must be considerable for in it are the signatures of Cabinet Ministers, sportsmen, Royalty and detectives.

Quite recently "The Vagabond" found three Henry VIII period window frames thrown on to a rubbish heap. He bought from a hoop-in stall in Salisbury for sixpence each about six dozen genuine Wealden mugs, and sold them for 10s. each.

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FRANCO
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Domination By
Foreign Power

London, July 8.
General Franco has definitely
assured Great Britain that he will not
tolerate foreign intervention or
domination in Spain in the event of
an insurgent victory.

It is stated in unimpeachable
quarters that this assurance has been
conveyed to Mr. Neville Chamberlain
by the British Agent in Burgos. Sir
Robert Hodgson, and it is believed
that Sir Robert assured the Prime
Minister that the majority of General
Franco's followers supported these
sentiments.—*Reuter*.

GRATEFUL TO
CANADA'S OFFER
TO TRAIN PILOTS

London, July 7.
In the House of Commons to-day,
asked by Mr. Clement Attlee, leader
of the Labour Opposition, if the
Canadian Government was prepared
to afford facilities for the training of
pilots for the R.A.F. in its own
establishments, Sir Kingsley Wood,
the Minister for Air, replied in the
affirmative.

Sir Kingsley added that a reply had
been sent to the Canadian Govern-
ment, expressing warm appreciation
of its offer.

Arrangements were being made, in
accordance with the suggestion by
the Canadian Premier, Mr. W. Mac-
kenzie King, to send immediately an
officer to Canada to explore the
possibilities of working out a scheme.
—*Reuter*.

U.S. COMMODITY
PRICESLATEST CABLED
QUOTATIONS

New York Cotton
July 9.00/09
October 9.00/09
December 9.02/02
Jan. (1939) 9.04/04
Mar. (1939) 9.04/04
May (1939) 9.04/04
Spot 9.04

The First Notice Day for July
Cotton is June 28 with delivery date
July 5.

New York Rubber
July 15.75/74
September 15.75/74
December 15.75/74
March 15.75/74
May 15.75/74
Spot 15.75/74

Chicago Wheat
July 71 1/2/71
September 72 1/2/72
December 74 1/2/74
Wednesday's Sales: 27,914,000 bushels

Chicago Corn
July 57 1/2/57
September 58 1/2/58
December 58 1/2/58
Wednesday's Sales: 27,914,000 bushels

Winnipeg Wheat
July 98 1/2/98
October 98 1/2/98
December 98 1/2/98

**Baby Falls 15 Feet,
Unhurt**
CLEVELAND.
X-ray pictures failed to show that
17-month-old Ernest Cowan had
been injured in a 15-foot fall from a
second floor porch.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS
of the Sale by Public Auction
to be held on Monday, the 11th
day of July, 1938, at 3 p.m., at
the Offices of the Public Works
Department, by Order of His
Excellency the Governor of one
Lot of Crown Land at La Salle
Road, Kowloon Terai, in the
Colony of Hong Kong, for a
term of 75 years, commencing
from 1st July, 1898, with the
option of renewal at a Crown
Rent to be fixed by the Sur-
veyor of His Majesty the KING,
for one further term of 24
years less the last three days
thereof.

Intending bidders are advised
that immediately after the dis-
posal of the lot the Purchaser (if
not the applicant) will be required
to deposit with an authorised
officer who will be present at the
sale, the sum of two hundred
dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum
will be refunded on payment of
the Purchase price.

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No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Containing in sq. feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	2624	La Salle Road, Kowloon Terai.	N. 80 feet, S. 80 feet, E. 80 feet, W. 80 feet.	16,000	154	\$8,000
			As per sale plan	About 16,000	154	\$8,000

RUSHING TROOPS AND
WARSHIPS TO
PALESTINE

(Continued from Page 1.)

when he attempted to fire on the
escaping assailant.—*Reuter*.

MARTIAL LAW POSSIBLE

Jerusalem, July 7.
British troops are being held in
readiness for a possible proclamation
of Martial Law, simultaneously with
an extension of the curfew in
Jerusalem and Haifa.

A grenade thrown into a crowd of
Arabs near David's Tower, killing a
man and wounding two women, a
child and six men, opened the second
day of terrorism.

British police are exhausted after
10 hours continuous duty.
Tension is now high throughout
the country.—*United Press*.

H.M.S. REPULSE ALSO
London, July 7.
In addition to H.M.S. Emerald, the
Admiralty has despatched H.M.S.
Repulse to Haifa.

H.M.S. Emerald was proceeding to
England from the East Indies station
when she was diverted to Haifa,
where she arrived at 4 p.m. to-day.
H.M.S. Repulse is due to-morrow.
—*United Press*.

Not Wanted
In JapanYoung Irishman In
Custody Two Weeks

Mr. Frederick "Pat" O'Hara, the
young Irishman who aroused the
suspicions of the Japanese Govern-
ment to such an extent that he was
requested to leave the country, ar-
rived in Hong Kong this morning on
the Rangoon on his way back to
England.

Mr. O'Hara would not comment on
his experiences in Japan and merely
said, "I'm afraid I have nothing to
say."
Mr. O'Hara was the resident secre-
tary in Japan of the Liverpool and
London Globe Insurance Company.
By filming scenery in the fortified
zone in the vicinity of Yokohama Mr.
O'Hara violated the law and was
fined. Before being fined, however,
he was held in custody for two weeks
on a charge of violating the Military
and Naval Secrets Protection Law,
and his correspondence, road maps,
films and photographic apparatus
were seized.

Following his conviction and fine
Mr. O'Hara was notified his presence
in Japan was undesirable and he is
now on his way back to England.

ADVANCES ON
EXCHANGE

London, July 7.
On the Stock Exchange to-day
gilt-edged bonds again led the
market.

Industrialists made a good showing
and Kaffirs advanced despite some
late irregularity.
Oils were firm. Internationals
were irregularly early but improved
after the Wall Street opening.
On the Foreign Exchange American
dollars were firmer, partly as a re-
sult of purchases of American stocks,
partly due to buying based on
rumours that the dollar may be
stabilised at the old parity.
On the Commodity Market, cotton
was higher, following New York
rates.—*Reuter Special*.

EMPIRE
NEWS

Sydney, Apr. 21.
The relation of defence to Imperial
foreign policy will be one of the
chief subjects of discussion in the
Federal Parliament on April 27.

Mr. Curtin, Leader of the Opposi-
tion, made a statement to-day on
loan policy in view of the meeting
of the Loan Council this week. He
said he was opposed to the idea of
States being asked to curtail their
borrowings by the amount which
the Commonwealth desired to raise
by an internal loan for the defence
programme.

Mr. Curtin declared that Australia
must not be asked to finance de-
fence at the expense of the States'
unemployment relief works and the
nation's proper economic develop-
ment.

The Navy is proposing to establish
an anti-submarine school on the
lines of that at Portland and to
train an expert personnel in the
technique of anti-submarine work.
Three vessels of secret design will
be built at Sydney, equipped with
the latest anti-submarine devices,
and will also be stored at the
chief ports with which to convert
merchant ships to anti-submarine
flotillas in wartime.

April Rains.—Driven before a
cyclonic gusty wind the best April
rains for some years swept Victoria.
Easter attractions were ruined, but
the deluge was welcomed by graziers
and wheat farmers. The rain came
after a six-weeks' dry spell which
had burned up pastures and held
up wheat sowing.

Motor Grand Prix.—Peter White-
head won for England here to-day
the Australian Grand Prix, driving
supercharged 1,500 c.c. E.R.A. The
race, the first road race for cars ever
held in New South Wales, was run
on the new Mount Panorama circuit
near Bathurst. It was over 150
miles.—*Reuter*.

South Africa
FASTER AIR MAIL

Cape Town, Apr. 21.
The first air mail delivered by the
accelerated Imperial Airways
schedule arrived at Cape Town to-
day, five and a half days after leav-
ing Southampton.

The flying boat Coriolanus—the
last of the three machines used by
Imperial Airways on their section
of the service—arrived at Dur-
ban at 2.50 yesterday afternoon,
two hours ahead of schedule. The
mails were brought on to Cape Town
by South African Airways to-day,
and arrived here early this after-
noon.

Motor Marathon.—Cape Town
competitors in the Round the Union
Motor Marathon are beginning to
trickle in to the finishing post. They
report a terrific struggle against
atrocious road conditions. In places
the mud was three feet deep. The
whole Johannesburg contingent,
which was due at Kimberley at 11
a.m., had not been heard of late this
afternoon. The drivers are proba-
bly held up by flooded rivers in the
Karoo.

SEVEN DEAD IN RIOT
AT BOMBAY

Bombay.
The death roll in the Hindu-Mos-
lem rioting in Bombay over the
week-end is now seven. The in-
jured number 100.

Police patrols are guarding strategic
points. British troops are being
held in readiness. Curfew has been
proclaimed, and 200 disorderly per-
sons have been rounded up.

The Government's prompt action
prevented the spread of rioting,
which is now under control. For
days past the City has been placarded
with an appeal to Moslems to cap-
ture power everywhere.

Orissa Governorship.—The objec-
tions stated at the time to the ap-
pointment of Mr. J. R. Daini, Re-
venue Commissioner, to act as
Governor of Orissa during the ab-
sence on leave of Sir John Hubback,
over the heads of Ministers to whom
he was subordinate, are likely to
develop shortly into a serious situa-
tion unless a solution is found. Feel-
ing among Ministers is said to be
summarised by the view of one of
them that he was not prepared to
face "the humiliation" of such an
appointment. It is believed that the
problem may be solved by the trans-
fer of Mr. Daini to another province
in exchange for an "outsider" as
temporary Governor.

NEW ZEALAND
TRADE PACT WITH
SWITZERLAND

Wellington.
Under a trade agreement between
New Zealand and Switzerland, an-
nounced to-day, Switzerland promises
to take an annual quota of 1,500 tons
of New Zealand apples and pears.
In return New Zealand will admit a
number of Swiss products at the duty
rates provided for in the agreements
which New Zealand has concluded
with Germany and Belgium.—*Reuter*.

SHIPS IN RADIO
COMMUNICATION

The following ships are expected
to be in wireless communication with
Hongkong Radio Station to-day:
Idam; Menestheus; Benedic; Leana;
Glenapp; Hiram; Sulang; Kuluang;
Halang; Halan; Slang Wo; Tarong;
Sclarin.

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Third Prize: \$20 Cash, donated by
"The Hongkong Telegraph."

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(VIEWS, ARCHITECTURE, LAND-
SCAPES, SEASCAPES, HUMAN &
ANIMAL STUDIES).
First Prize: \$50 Cash, donated by
"The Hongkong Telegraph."

SECTION THREE:
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INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due.
Straits	Conte Verde	July 8.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 3rd July.	Imperial Airways Plane	July 8.
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Bangkok and Swatow	Kalagan	July 8.
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Australia and Manila	Talping	July 8.
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Saigon	Jean Laborde	July 9.
Shanghai and Swatow	Sochow	July 9.
Shanghai and Amoy	Tainan	July 9.
Shanghai	Autolycus	July 10.
Straits	Mencius	July 10.
Amoy	Tylenan	July 10.
Straits	Bangalore	July 11.
Shanghai and Swatow	Kaying	July 11.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 30th June.	Pan-American Airways Plane	July 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Ajax	July 12.
U.S.A., Canada and Japan (Seattle date, 22nd June)	President Jefferson	July 12.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 7th July.	Imperial Airways Plane	July 13.
Java	Tjalsok	July 13.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Manila (San Francisco date, 17th June).	Pres. Cleveland	July 14.
Amoy	Santhia	July 14.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., date, 25th June).	Emp. of Japan	June 15.
Japan, Shanghai and Formosa	Hakozaki Maru	July 15.
Straits	Hakusan Maru	July 15.
Shanghai	Somali	July 15.
Straits	Titan	July 15.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Fri., July 8, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow	Solistan	Fri., July 8, 3 p.m.
Swatow, Fochow and Tientsin	Holhow	Fri., July 8, 4.30 p.m.
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Chang- sha and Chengtu, etc. (via Han- kow) by the Eurasia Airways Service (to further points by Surface transport as Services permit).	G. P. O. and K. P. O.	Reg., July 8, 4.30 p.m. Ord., July 8, 5 p.m.
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, Ranchi East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles —due Marseilles, 5th August.	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Reg., July 8, 5 p.m. Ord., July 8, 10.30 a.m.

Saturday
Samshul and Wuchow Talping Sat., July 9, 8.15 a.m.
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct
Service"—due Amsterdam, 19th
July. Imperial Airways Plane | Sat., July 9, 8.15 a.m. Reg., July 9, 9.30 p.m. Ord., July 9, 10 a.m. |

Straits and Calcutta Kutsang Sat., July 9.
Hainan, Manila, Saigon, Bangkok, *Straits,
*Batavia, Mauritius, Reunion,
Madagascar, Lourenco Marques
and South Africa. Imperial Airways Plane | Sat., July 9, 2 p.m. Reg., July 9, 9.30 p.m. Ord., July 9, 10 a.m. |

Amoy Anshun Sat., July 9, 4 p.m.
Japan Islami Sat., July 9, 5 p.m.
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong Kiangsu Sat., July 9, 5 p.m.
Saigon Lyeemoon Sat., July 9, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for Wuchow and Chung-
king by the "C.N.A.C. Airways
Direct Service". G.P.O. and K.P.O. | Reg., July 9, 5 p.m. Ord., July 9, 10 a.m. |

Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Imperial
Direct Service"—due London,
17th July. Imperial Airways Plane | Sat., July 9, 5 p.m. Reg., July 9, 5 p.m. Ord., July 9, 10 a.m. |

Air Mail for Malaya and Australia Imperial
Airways Plane Sat., July 9.
"Imperial Airways Direct
Service"—due Darwin, 14th July. G.P.O. and K.P.O. | Reg., July 9, 5 p.m. Ord., July 9, 10 a.m. |

Sunday
Amoy and Shanghai Szechuen Sun., July 10, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Fochow and Tientsin Yehow Sun., July 10, 9 a.m. Imperial Airways Plane | Sun., July 10, 8.30 a.m. Reg., July 10, 9.30 a.m. Ord., July 10, 11 a.m. |

Tuesday
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya Tlingara Tues., July 12, 8.30 a.m.
Kongmoon On Lee Tues., July 12, 10 a.m.
Kongmoon Yatsing Tues., July 12, 12.30 p.m.
Straits and *Europe via Marseilles
—due Marseilles, August 12 and
London. G.P.O. and K.P.O. | Tues., July 12, 8.30 a.m. Reg., July 12, 8.45 a.m. Ord., July 12, 9.30 a.m. |

Wednesday
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong Kaying Wed., July 13, Noon.
Manila, *Japan, *Canada, *U.S.A., President Jefferson Wed., July 13,
and *Europe via Victoria B.C. G. P. O. and K. P. O.
—due Victoria B.C., 7th August. Reg., July 13, 1.45 p.m.
Parcels, July 13, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow and Shanghai Tainan Wed., July 13, 4.30 p.m.
Formosa Tyosa Maru Wed., July 13, 4.30 p.m. Imperial Airways Plane | Wed., July 13, Noon. Reg., July 13, 1.45 p.m. Ord., July 13, 2.30 p.m. |

Thursday
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Imperial
Direct Service"—due London, Thurs., July 14,
21st July. G.P.O. and K.P.O.
Reg., July 14, 5 p.m.
Ord., July 14, 5 p.m. Imperial Airways Plane | Thurs., July 14, Reg., July 14, 5 p.m. Ord., July 14, 5 p.m. |

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Dominions Have Room For Refugees

Nations Collaborate At Evian

At to-day's meeting of the Refugees Conference, which is seeking homes for thousands of outcasts from their native lands, the Australian delegate dwelt on the difficulties of immigration to Australia.

The Australian Government, however, realising the unhappy plight of German and Austrian Jews, has included them on a pro rata basis comparable with that of any other country.

The Canadian representative alluded to the difficulties of receiving considerable numbers of refugees, though Canada was ready to collaborate in the efforts of the Committee. He urged that countries sending refugees to Canada should contribute to the cost of their transfer, and also suggested collaboration with the League of Nations organisation.

The Brazilian delegate said that Brazil had an open door for agriculturists, although they would have to give an undertaking that they would not quit their occupation for four years.

The Belgian delegate spoke of the number of German and other refugees received by Belgium. The Netherlands delegate declared that Holland had already admitted 24,000 German refugees, and suggested that the Netherlands should be regarded as a transmigration country.

The Argentine delegate pointed out that Argentina already had the largest immigrant population of any nation, and declared that the Argentine declined to receive immigrants who objected to being assimilated with Argentine nationals. —Reuter.

CONFERENCE ADJOURNS

The Refugees Conference has adjourned until 10 a.m. on Saturday.

Professor Heinrich Neumann, the famous Vienna car specialist, has arrived here at the head of a delegation from the Jewish community of Vienna, with an appeal to the Conference to facilitate the emigration of Jews from Austria.

Professor Neumann told Reuter that the delegation had gone to Evian purely in a private capacity, but with the approval of the Vienna authorities, which promised to assist the emigration of Jews from Austria.

A similar delegation has arrived from Berlin, according to the Jewish Telegraph Agency.

A World Jewish Congress delegation is also here and, in a statement issued to-day, expressed appreciation of the British and American delegations' view that Germany and other emigrating countries should permit refugees to take out their capital.

Dr. Chaim Weizmann, on behalf of the World Zionist Organisation, submitted a memorandum to the Conference, drawing attention to the possibilities of Palestine settlement as a solution of the Jewish problem. —Reuter.

Capt. Benn To Command H.M.S. Argus

Captain W. G. Benn last week relinquished the post of Director of Navigation, Admiralty, which he has held since 1935, on his appointment to command the aircraft-carrier Argus, on her commissioning this month for trials and service as a training carrier and parent ship for radio-controlled aircraft.

Captain C. E. Morgan, D.S.O., late in command of the cruiser Enterprise in the East Indies, is the new Director of Navigation. He was captain of the Enterprise when she conveyed the Emperor of Abyssinia from Jibuti to Haifa in 1936. Captain Morgan was decorated for his services during the War as navigating officer of the 1st Light Cruiser Squadron, Grand Fleet, in H.M.S. Caldon. As a commander he was fleet navigating officer in the Home Fleet in H.M.S. Nelson, and was promoted in 1932. He attended the Imperial Defence College during 1934.

Group Captain F. Sowrey, D.S.O., M.C., A.F.C., has been appointed to the command of Tangmere air station, Chichester, after two years as Senior Personnel Staff Officer with No. 23 (Training) Group, Grantham. He succeeds Group Captain K. R. Park, M.C., D.F.C., A.D.C.

Group Captain Sowrey gained the D.S.O. as a night-flying pilot of the R.F.C. for the destruction of Zeppelin L 32 at Billerica on September 23, 1918. Later in the War he served in France, where he commanded No. 143 Squadron during 1918 and gained two further decorations. He has also had post-war service in Egypt and Iraq.

GROUP CAPTAIN PAYNE

The retirement is announced at his own request of the Group Captain I. G. S. Payne, M.C., A.F.C., commanding the Air Armament School at Eastchurch. He has had over 25 years' service in the Army and Air Force.

Appointed to The Suffolk Regiment, Special Reserve, in 1912, he passed the Sandhurst entrance examination a few months later, but from January, 1914, served as Extra A.D.C. to the Governor of Ceylon. He rejoined his regiment in October, 1914. Seconded to the R.F.C. with effect from April 22, 1916, he gained the M.C. and A.F.C. for distinguished services in France in 1917-18. In 1919 he was granted a permanent commission in the R.A.F., and he was promoted to squadron leader in 1925, wing commander in 1933, and group captain in 1937.

NAVIGATION SCHOOL STAFF

Squadron Leader A. W. Bates, who has been serving with flying-boats at Singapore since 1936, has been appointed to the School of Air Navigation for flying duties. From 1916 to 1923, when he retired voluntarily, he served in the Navy, from cadet to lieutenant. He then joined the R.A.F. with a short service commission, and was awarded a permanent commission in 1930 after duty as a flying instructor at home and in Egypt. His promotion to squadron leader was dated August 1, 1936.

BRITISH AID FOR CHINESE

Australian and Indian Medical Units To Serve

London, July 7. The anniversary of the Sino-Japanese war was marked by special articles in several papers dwelling on the unprecedented Chinese national will to resist as being the most remarkable feature of the war, while decisive victory still eludes the Japanese armies.

Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Ambassador to London, conducted a memorial service at the Embassy at noon with a three-minute silence in honour of the Chinese dead.

The Lord Mayor's Fund approaches £130,000, including over £1,000 from British doctors alone. The organisers draw attention to the steadiness with which contributions keep rolling in weekly, giving evidence of the widening appreciation of the Chinese need. Leading provincial cities, for example Manchester and Birmingham, are actively co-operating.

Australia is sending a unit to China in October, including a portable hospital, with wards, operating theatre, X-ray equipment, motor ambulances and a staff of trained nurses.

An Indian doctor, Madan Atal, will shortly take the first Indian medical unit to China, consisting of several motor ambulances, dressing stations and over 100 young Indian doctors, who have already volunteered to accompany the unit. —Reuter.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary, issued at 12.30 p.m. yesterday, says:

There was considerably more activity in a steadier market.
Union Waterboats \$9
H.K. Docks (Old) \$23
H.K. Docks (New) \$18 1/2
Providents (Old) \$3.30
Providents (New) \$3.20
Homes \$9 1/2
Venz. Goldfields \$3
H.K. Hotels \$9.20
H.K. Land & Dev. \$102 1/2
Humphreys \$9.20
H.K. Realities \$5 1/2
H.K. Trams \$17 1/2
Peak Trams (Old) \$5 1/2
Yau-nat Ferry (Old) \$23
Yau-nat Ferry (New) \$21 1/2
H.K. Electric \$10 1/2
Telephones (New) \$9.20
Cement \$12.20
Watsons \$9.70
Consolidated Provident (Old) \$9.50
Consolidated Provident (New) \$9.40
Sellers
Providents (Old) \$3.40
Providents (New) \$3.30
Telephones (New) \$9.40
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Sales
H.K. Steamboats \$21 1/2
H.K. Wharves \$124 1/2/125 1/2
H.K. Lands \$24 1/2
Humphreys \$9 1/2
H.K. Trams \$17 1/2/20
Star Ferry \$7 1/2
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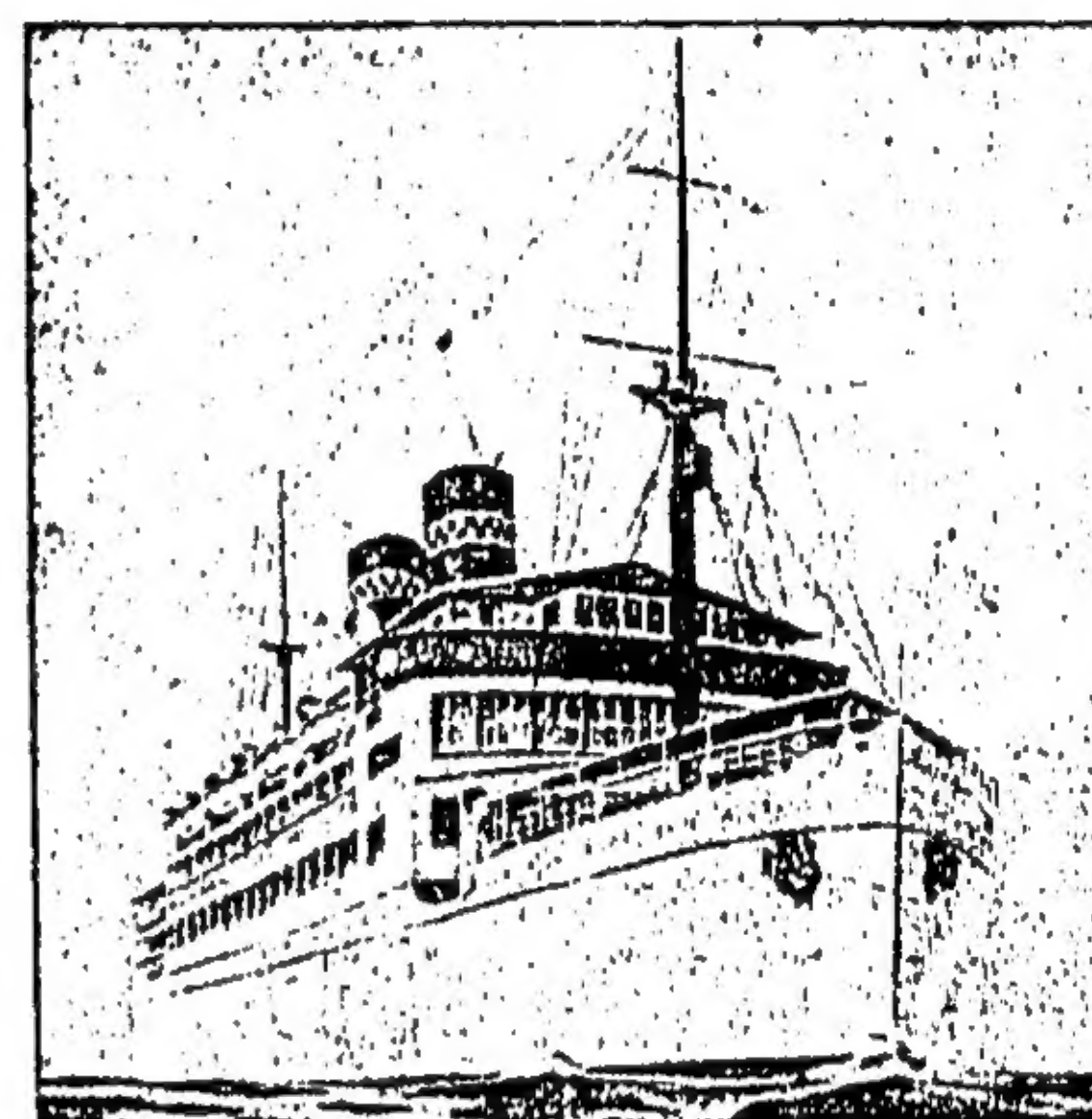
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RANPURA	17,000	23rd July	Bombay, M'selles & London.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	6th Aug.	Bombay, M'selles & London.
*BANGALORE	6,000	13th Aug.	B'bay, M'selles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam & A'werp.
NALDERA	17,000	30th Aug.	Bombay, M'selles & London.
CORFU	14,500	2nd Sept.	M'selles & London.
*BHUTAN	6,000	10th Sept.	B'bay, M'selles, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'burg, R'dam & A'werp.
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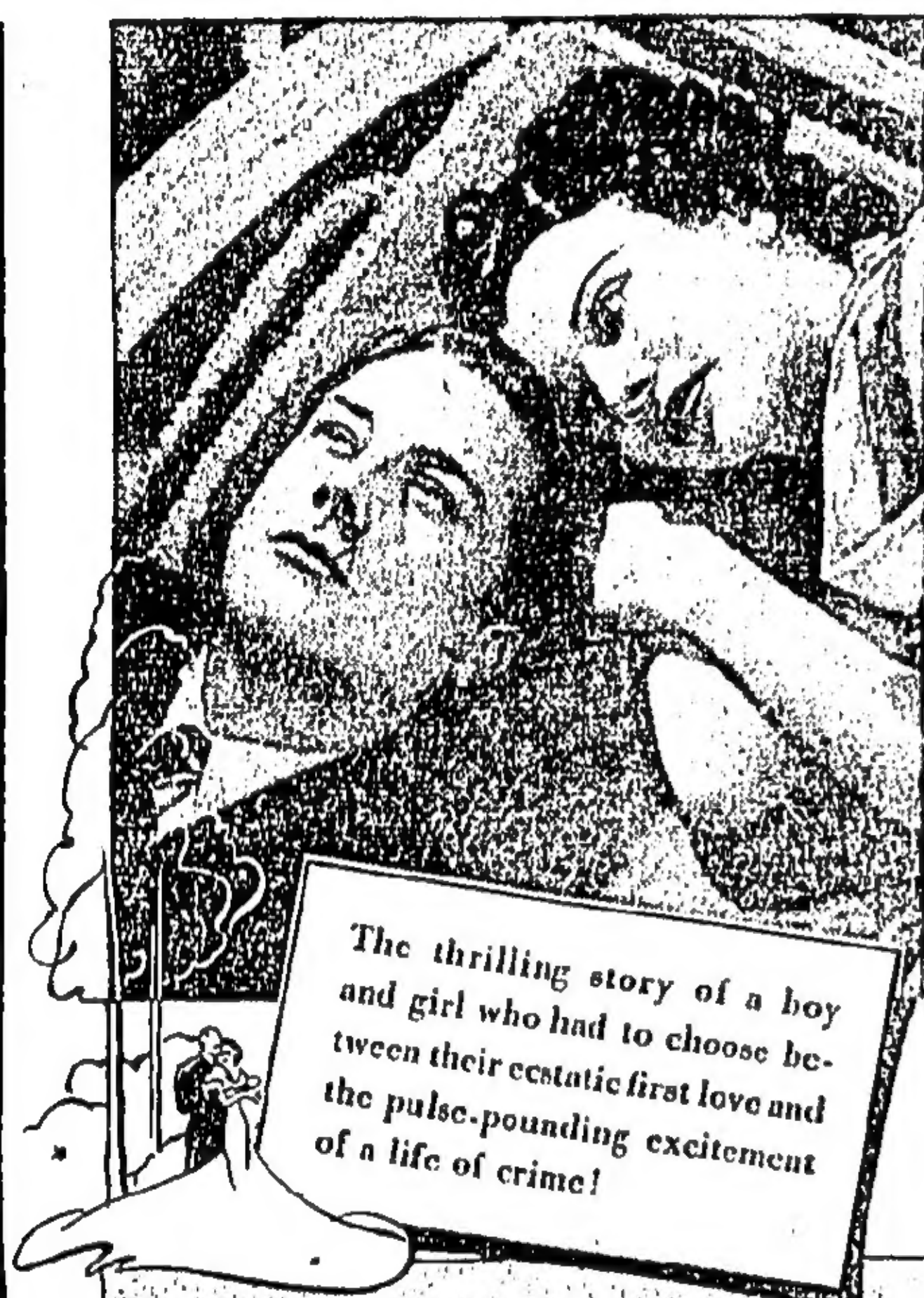
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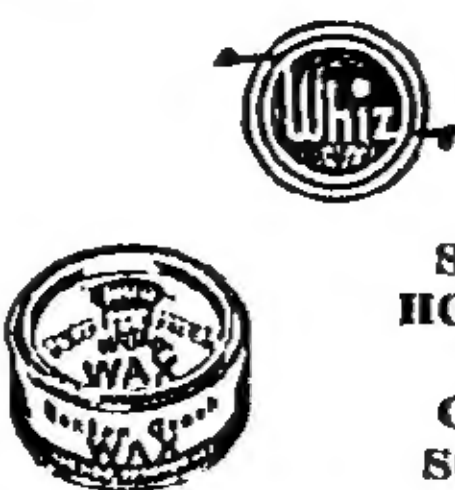
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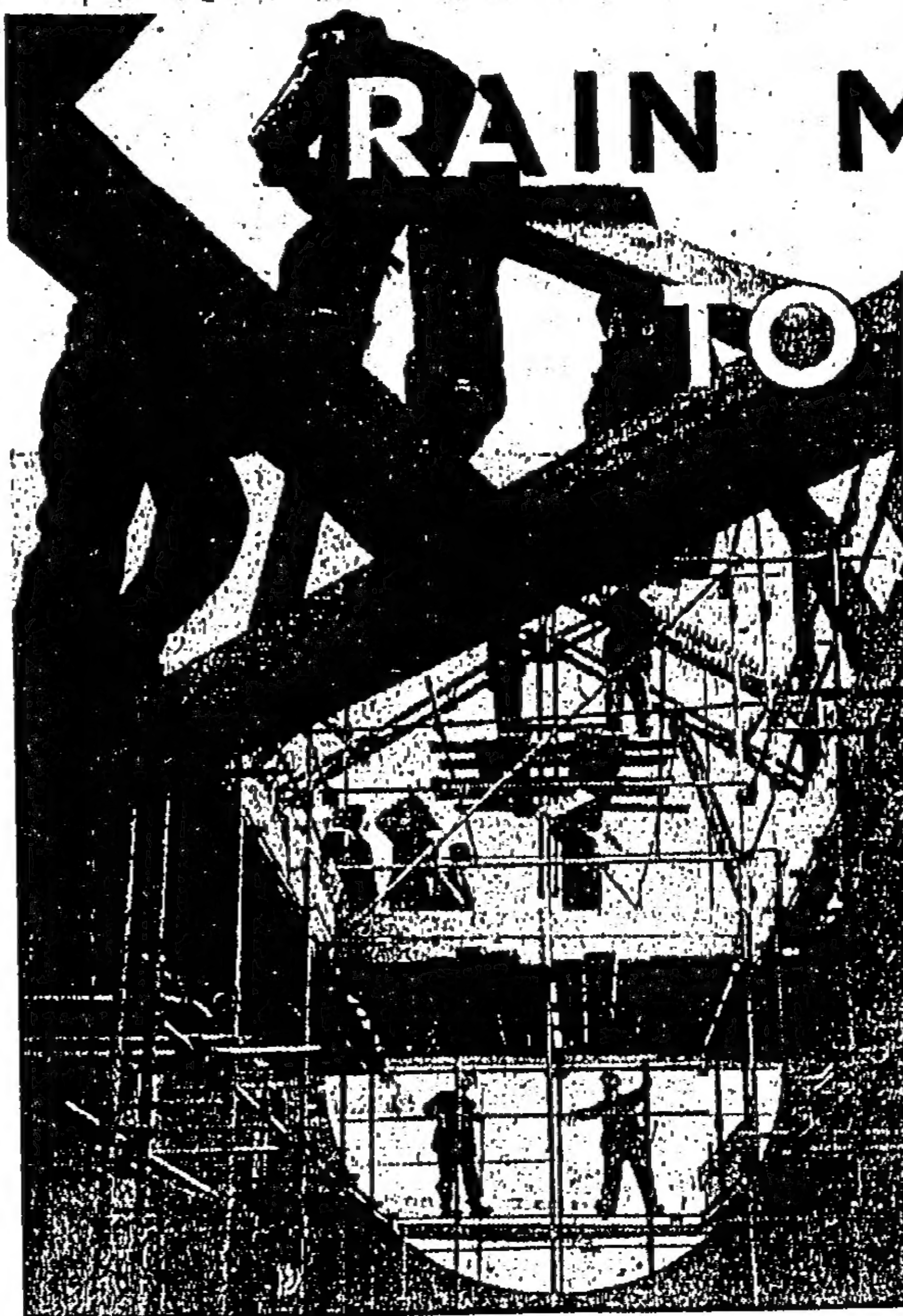
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THIRD POWER
INTERESTS

Reports of Franco-Japanese
tension, or at least irritation,
may or may not have good
foundation. It is most difficult
to judge. Reputable Chinese
sources declare that a Japanese
fleet has been sent back to Hai-
nan waters because of the
French action of sending police
to the Paracels to guard the
meteorological station and other
equipment there, and the men
who are in charge. But such
action by Japan presupposes an
intention on her part to make
some sort of display in Hainan
as a reprisal; and it would seem
very senseless for the French
are vitally interested in the pre-
servation of Hainan's freedom
from Japanese domination, and
in that have the backing of
Great Britain. The situation in
China is too critical to allow
Japan to get herself involved
elsewhere. Therefore, reports
of a Japanese concentration in
Hainan waters, and French
moves to counteract any possi-
ble menace, should be accepted
only with the reservation that
the Chinese sources whence
these stories come may have
been misled. On the other hand
there is no use blindly refusing
to believe that difficulties may
develop in this sphere. It has
long been suspected that Japan
covets Hainan, and the French at
Kwongchow and the British at
Hongkong and at Singa-
pore have apparently felt some
concern lest the expanding
power of Tokyo should plant the
flag of the Rising Sun on Hai-
nan soil. Not that France or
Britain wants the island. They
simply want to see it in safe
hands. It is conceivable, then,
that France might take steps to
prevent its occupation, particu-
larly with British support, and
the report of French planes
massing at Kwongchow and
French warships patrolling be-
tween that Colony and the
Paracels therefore cannot be
dismissed as mere fiction.

There are signs, too, that
Britain does not intend to allow



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other 1,000,000 who are in-
directly affected.

At present the weather is
fine. Buildings are leaping to-
wards the sun all over the coun-
try. Those engaged on the con-
structional side of the business
go out in the morning with
reasonable certainty that they
will work under God's heaven
all day and take home a full
pay-pocket at the end of the
week.

But when the weather breaks
—what then?

BEFORE Mr. Hicks
tells you about his
scheme for insuring building
operatives against bad weather
—it has been agreed between
the unions and the employers
and is now the subject of a
national ballot—let me give you
his expert opinion of what the
rainy day means to the builder.

"Rain and snow, frost and
fog mean more to us," said Mr.
Hicks, "than they do to most
folk. To the majority of people
they mean just a little discom-
fort and the warm appeal of the
cosy fireside. To the building
worker they mean 'standing off.'
He is temporarily discharged
and thus loses time and money.
One can appreciate what the loss

discrimination to be shown
against her indefinitely in the
Yangtze and other Chinese
inland waters where the
Japanese are pursuing their war
of invasion. The answer which
the Under-Secretary of Foreign
Affairs gave to questioners in
the House of Commons recently
was illuminating. It appears
that Britain has seriously con-
sidered placing armed ships in
the Yangtze for the purpose of
convoys merchantmen about
their legitimate business. Ap-
parently the only reason why
this matter has not been carried
farther is because merchants
engaged in the Far East trade
have not yet demanded it. That
is the construction which must
be placed on Mr. Butler's an-
swer.

As for these questions of trad-
ing rights and the very vexed
problem of customs levies and
the distribution of the revenue
from this source, it is necessary
that they be approached with
the utmost patience by all
parties concerned. Particularly
is patience necessary with Japan
at this juncture, when her at-
tention is very fully taken up
with the prosecution of a war
and when her own patience is
probably not inexhaustible.
Britain only wants to be certain
that her rights will be safe-
guarded. China's rights are
quite another matter, and do
not enter into the Anglo-
Japanese equation.

of half a day's pay means in the
home. But when it is a question
of days, sometimes weeks, of bad
weather the worker suffers real
privation.

"No wonder that we in the
building industry are more afraid
of the 'depression over Iceland'
than any other worker.

"Now there is fresh hope."

MR. Hicks explained
why in answer to a
number of questions put to him.
Here they are:

"Surely, Mr. Hicks, the building
workers and their trade unions have
endeavoured to arrive at some solution
of this 'wet time' problem?"

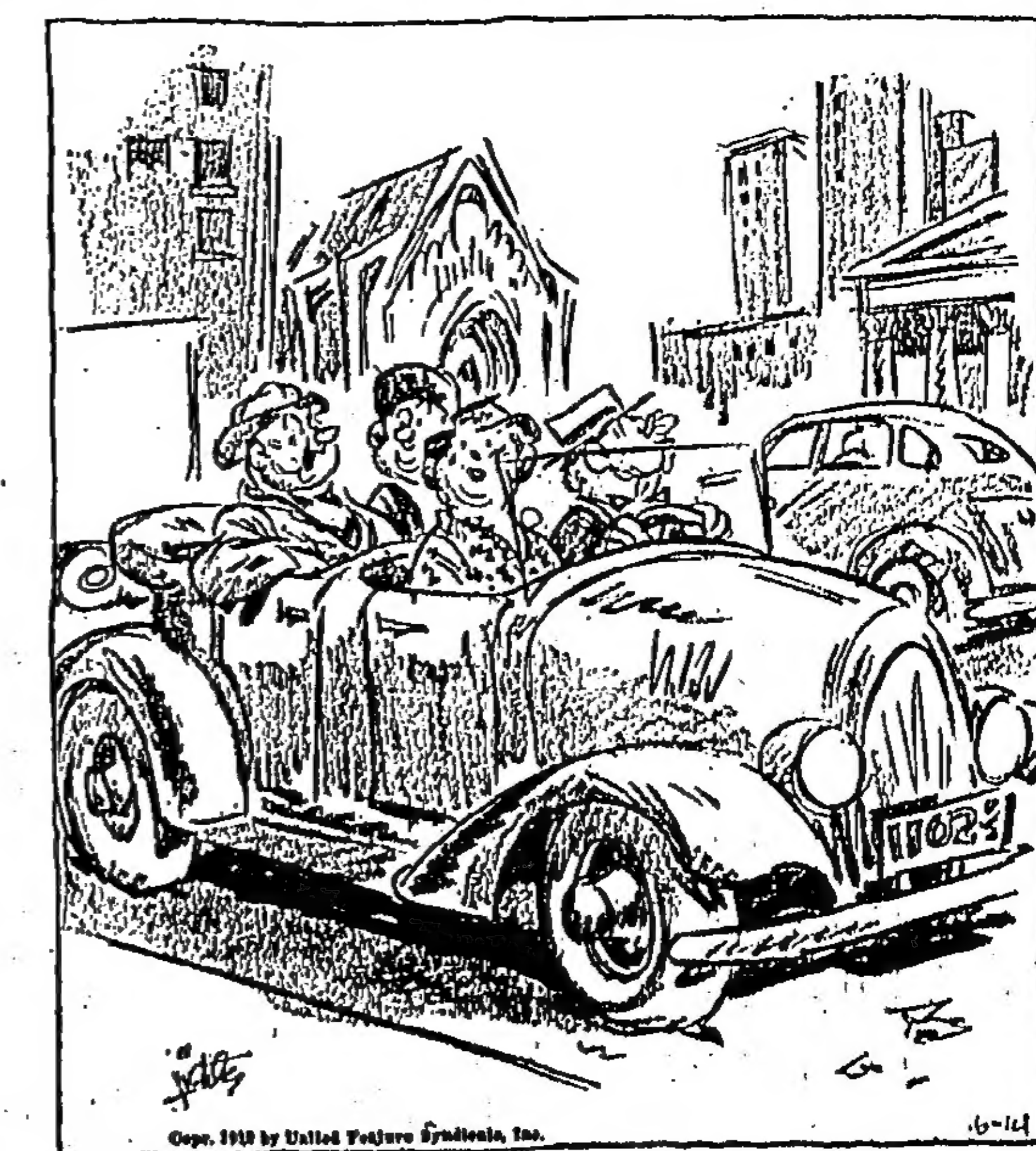
"Certainly we have—from
every angle. First during the
war. Later, when Lord Addison
was Minister of Health we had
discussions with the Govern-
ment. We demanded 100 per
cent. payment for time lost
through inclement weather. But
nothing happened. After the
National Building Trades dis-
cuss in 1924 we tried to embody
a scheme for 'wet time' payment
in the terms of settlement, but
without effect. Since then we
have kept hammering away.
Actually, it was agreed in 1926
with the employees to be on a
joint contributory basis, and in
1929 the Joint Committee of
Employers and Operatives urged
the need for a system of national
insurance to the Ministry of
Labour. We have at last ar-
rived at the present scheme."

"What does it amount to?"

"What it amounts to, in brief,
is this. A fund will be created
which, it is estimated, will total
£2,000,000 annually."

"How?"

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"You'd never see the rights in Hongkong if we didn't visit you and
show you around!"

RAIN MEANS RUIN
TO THESE MEN

Practically unknown to the general public, half
a million building workers in England are now vot-
ing on a scheme to end the misery of wages lost
through bad weather.

The scheme has already been agreed between
the employers and the union leaders. The men are
giving their view through a national ballot, but the
issue is not in doubt.

Below, Mr. GEORGE HICKS, M.P., President
of the National Federation of Building Trades
Operatives, explains the scheme.

"By contributions. Towards
the fund the employers will con-
tribute half, the building work-
ers the other half. The crafts-
man will pay 6d., the labourer
4½d., and the apprentice or
junior 2½d. weekly. The em-
ployer will contribute an equal
amount to that contributed by
each craftsman, labourer or
junior, as the case may be. In
short, the workers will pay about
£1,000,000 annually, the employ-
ers a similar sum."

Mr. Hicks added that workers
would not be able to draw lost
time benefit and unemployment
insurance benefit at the same
time.

His other points must be sum-
marised for lack of space.

THE scheme is to be
operated by a Joint
Board composed of an equal num-
ber of employers' and operatives'
representatives. There will be
no Government representative.
It will start 12 months after the
scheme's inception to allow time
for the Fund to accumulate.

Let me end this interview
with Mr. Hicks calling all build-
ing workers. Here he is.

"I regard this scheme as the
greatest proposal for reform
ever made in the building in-
dustry. To many an old brick-
layer or labourer the very idea
of being paid 50 per cent. lost
time will seem like an inspira-
tion from on high. The scheme
will be, in my opinion, the first
big step in the direction of per-
manency of employment in the
building industry. It will pro-
vide us with the basis for de-
casualising the industry and
moving towards the guaranteed
week."

Good luck, Mr. Hicks!

REDUCTION OF
SUGAR QUOTA
NOT DISCUSSED

London, July 7.

The International Sugar Council,
which met in London on Tuesday to
consider the working of the Sugar
Agreement, and to hold preliminary
discussions regarding its policy for
the second sugar quota year, which
opens on September 1, is now con-
sidering the estimate of market re-
quirements made by its statistical
committee.

Figures have not yet been publish-
ed, but a meeting of the Council in
May estimated that the market re-
quirements would be 3,050,000
metric tons, compared with the
estimate of 3,250,000 metric tons
made on March 26.

It is understood that the question
of a further reduction of the quota
has not yet been discussed.—Reuter.

RADIO DIFFUSION
SCHEME STILL
A POSSIBILITY

That Government may introduce a
Radio Diffusion system—a form of
wired wireless by which radio broad-
casts are received over telephone or
power circuits—is indicated by the
fact that the sum of \$5,000 is still
included in the estimates for the
purchase of the necessary equipment.

The vote was originally included
in the 1937 estimate, but in the Draft
Appropriation Account, tabled in
Legislative Council this afternoon,
the statement is made that the
amount is being held in abeyance
pending Government's final decision
on the scheme.

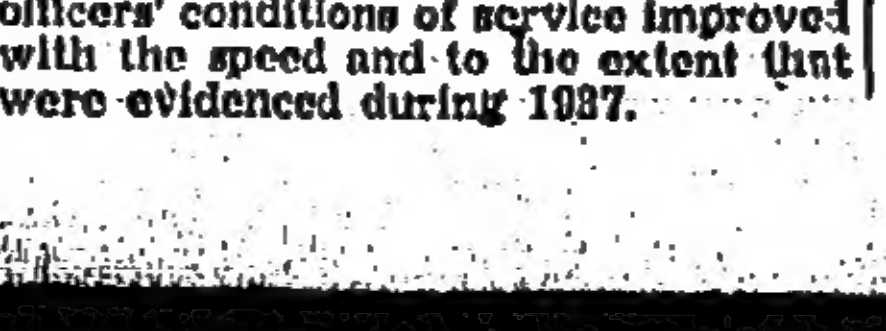
The vote for \$5,000 has, however,
been reduced to \$4,772 by an unex-
plained expenditure last year in
connection with the scheme.

It is recalled that a Radio Diffu-
sion scheme was introduced to
Hongkong by the Telephone Com-
pany three years ago, but remained
in existence only a few months,
owing to lack of support from the
public.

More Asylums Needed

"We want this country to give the world a great lead in applying Christian principles."

ard, fought with a Canadian regi- b
ment during the war. b



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BUSSON, BURTON & COX LEAD GOLF FIELD

37 Qualify For The Final Stages Of British Open

BREWS SETS A NEW COURSE RECORD

Brilliant 68 Is Hit By Cyril Tolley

THE DETAILED SCORES

Sandwich, July 7.

Only 37 competitors out of 120 qualified for the final stages of the British open golf championship here to-day. The qualifying score was 148 for 36 holes, and among prominent players who failed to return this, or a better score, were James Bruen, the 17 year-old Walker Cupper, Eddie Whitcombe, who was one of the leaders in the early qualifying rounds, Arthur Havers and James Braid.

J. J. Busson, Richard Burton of Sale and W. Cox led the field at the close of to-day's play, each returning an aggregate of 140 for the two rounds.

Cotton's score was not included in the early returns.

Records were beaten and equalled during the day. Brews, in shooting a 70 to aggregate 146, did the homeward nine holes in 33 strokes which is a record for the championship links.

Cyril, Tolley, former British amateur champion and Walker Cup player had a 68 to total 145 and to equal the amateur record for the course.

The following were some of the day's scores:

QUALIFIERS	
J. J. Busson	71 and 69, 140
W. Cox	70 and 70, 140
R. Burton	71 and 69, 140
B. Gadd	71 and 69, 140
Adams	70 and 71, 141
French, West	72 and 71, 143
Surrey	70 and 74, 144
Dallemagne	72 and 72, 144
Black	73 and 72, 145
Alan Bailey	73 and 72, 145
C. Tolley	70 and 75, 145
Fallon	71 and 74, 145
A. Ferry	74 and 72, 146
A. Padgham	74 and 72, 146
Shankland	74 and 72, 146
Haydock	74 and 72, 146
Walt	74 and 72, 146
Charles Whitcombe	74 and 72, 146
Lacey	74 and 72, 146
Brews	76 and 70, 146
Pennink	74 and 72, 146
Hallburton	72 and 74, 146
Sutton	72 and 75, 147
King	74 and 73, 147
Earnest Whitcombe	70 and 77, 147
Bulluk, Seaming	73 and 74, 147
Greenish, Presl	75 and 73, 148
Beck, Sherwood	76 and 72, 148
Forest	76 and 72, 148
Ballingal, Balmore	73 and 75, 148
Hasting	73 and 75, 148
Stopy, Summingale	77 and 71, 148
FAILED TO QUALIFY	
Eddie Whitcombe	77 and 74, 151
J. Braid	74 and 78, 152
A. G. Havers	78 and 79, 157
J. Bruen	70 and 80, 150

—Reuter.

TEST OUTLOOK IS GLOOMY

Lots Of Rain At Manchester Affect Wicket

Manchester, July 7.

The outlook for the Third Test is gloomy. It has rained intermittently for several days and it rained all night long on Wednesday and again before the forenoon to-day.

These downpours prevented the English and Australian players from practising at the nets.

The Old Trafford wicket is a natural wicket and has not been "doped" with mair for four years. It is therefore certain to be very soft.

In accordance with the rules the wicket will be covered at 11.30 in the morning, until the start. Police will guard the wicket during the night.

The majority of the tickets have been sold, and the authorities hope that weather permitting, the crowd will be in the region of 40,000.—Reuter.

Rain Stops County Cricket Games

London, July 7.

Rain affected several of the county cricket matches in England to-day, and prevented play in the following games:

Derbyshire v. Sussex
Gloucestershire v. Kent
Hampshire v. Middlesex
Warwickshire v. Sussex
Worcestershire v. Yorkshire

Close of play scores in the other matches were:

Northants 119 and 147, Lancashire 116 and 20 for 0
Notts 462 for 9 declared against Leicestershire.—Reuter Bulletin.

Dear Tommy Farr—

I SHALL be at Southampton meet and greet you, and to hear from your own lips an explanation of your surprising defeats at the hands of the two boxing veterans, Jim Braddock and Max Baer.

Those shocks have surely shaken your confidence. They did mine.

People—you know what gossip means—are saying that you are back here for a few weeks because neither America's fight dictator, "Uncle Mike" Jacobs, nor its hard-boiled fight-loving public, is now interested in your future!

Three fights and three defeats don't help bally-hoo. You know this as well as I do. Neither in America nor Britain.

I know there were doubts about the correctness of the official decision when you were declared the loser against 33-year-old Braddock.

As you know, Jim was pugilism's "Cinderella Man" even when he was matched with fleshy Max Baer for the world heavyweight title three years ago.

Yet after the punishment Joe Louis inflicted upon "old man" Braddock before stopping him in eight rounds, I was confident you had the speed, stamina, ability—and Youth—to account for Steve-dore Jim.

I want to turn back a few leaves of the calendar. When I met you on the Queen Mary after you had temporarily paralysed American boxing writers by lasting 15 rounds with "Brown Bomber" Louis, you confided in me that you were sure of winning the world title.

It doesn't look that way now, Tommy, does it? Nothing less than a miracle will put you on the championship track again. What is the more puzzling to me was Baer's decisive victory.

YOU had made him appear a good "has been" with your convincing win over him in London during the April of 1937.

Yet in the ring at Madison Square Garden, New York, Baer did something that Louis failed to do—sent you crashing to the canvas; not once, but three times!

I'm not forgetting that he couldn't keep you down for the full count. None of your opponents has been able to do that.

Which reminds me: British boxing prestige—there is still some left—is justly proud that you showed those 100 per cent. American sports writers that you were not just another British horizontal heavyweight.

Yes, I am pleased you will be in Britain again. Followed, I feel sure, after the rebuffs and, not infrequently, adverse criticism that has greeted you in America.

I believe that I know the real reason for your return. You are anxious to fight once more in London... the city that gave you your first big chance.

You want a return, I understand. With the burly German, Walter Neusel, whom you sensationally

AN OPEN LETTER

from

James Butler



"Three fights and three defeats don't help..."

defeated in three rounds last June.

I don't know whether this match will make much of an appeal to the cash customers of the ring. For the actual result does not mean a thing.

Then there is another important situation that is sure to affect you. You will be asked to explain to those august legislators, the stewards of the British Boxing Board of Control, your personal ideas with regard to the defence of your two titles—the British and Empire crowns.

You will know as soon as you arrive—if you already haven't

the information—that Ben Foord, the South African whom you defeated for those two titles, is matched to oppose Eddie Phillips, in what is known as the final clinimating championship eliminator.

This does not sound very exciting or alluring, does it? For whoever is victor I must confess that I am not acquainted with any promoter at the moment who will offer several thousand pounds for the championship proper contest.

I may be wrong or misinformed, but I seriously doubt whether there is now lots of money in London for heavyweight matches. There was last year. You can give first-hand evidence confirming my statement.

That was before you sailed away to meet Joe Louis, after you had turned down an offer of some £5,000 and a few extras to meet the Nazi boxer, Schmeling, at the White City.

I have written earlier in this letter, dear Tommy, three successive defeats in New York haven't increased your drawing powers at the box office: the only genuine register of any boxer's financial valuations.

Had you beaten either Braddock or Baer, it wouldn't have been too bad. You see, it is the general opinion—and public opinion is usually fairly correct—that you have dropped back into the place you occupied before you tackled Louis.

Still, I must admit that you are still the one drawing card in the British heavyweight division. I will go farther, and add that if you decide to have a fight in the immediate future, either in Cardiff or Swansea, the largest football grounds available would not be big enough to accommodate the thousands of your countrymen who still

have faith in your ability and who want to see you in the ring in your native Wales.

The purse money would not be fantastic. You have not to be told why. You yourself have known what it is to feel hungry in the Rhondda mining villages. Do you remember the many quiet talks we had in a small room in Fleet-street, when you longed for the nights when you might be fighting for a £100 purse!

Do you remember how you said that often your only meal before a fight in Wales was one kipper? Since then you have reached stardom—mainly through your dogged ways, and, shall I say it?—super-confidence.

You have tasted the luxury that is associated with a successful international boxer. And, I am assured, have saved a substantial fortune.

I am glad, and hope that you will have it behind you when the inevitable time arrives when you must destroy your fighting kit as being of no further use to you.

That time may not be so far off as you may dream at the moment. For unless new heavyweight talent is quickly discovered and developed, I can tell you that public interest in your class will evaporate.

There is no room in the sport for the veteran. That understanding individual, the Man in the Street, demands action, destructive punching, and Youthful Endeavour if he is to continue his patronage.

Recent affairs between various heavyweights have not contributed to an increase in enthusiasm. You can restore this fading interest if you can reproduce that dynamic form you so brightly displayed when battling against Baer and Neusel, at Harringay; Joe Louis, in New York.

If you can do this, then there will be no need for you to return to America seeking matches or longing for a fight with the winner of the Louis-Schmeling world championship battle.

You had better destroy this pipe dream, Tommy. Because if Louis retains his title—notwithstanding that the Nazi knocked him cold in twelve rounds on June 10, 1938—the American public will prefer Max Baer to you... for they have longer memories than we have.

Before concluding, Tommy, I shall be interested with the inside story of your romance with Miss Eileen Wenzel, the £18,000 New York showgirl.

Will she really and truly, as the story books say, become Mrs. Thomas Farr and visit your old friends in Tonypandy—and elsewhere?

Also I nearly forgot... and have you forgotten your faithful trainer, Tom Evans?

Will be seeing you. Yours fraternally,

Jimmy Butler

P.S.—How are you getting on with talkative Joe Gould, Braddock's manager—now yours?

BRADMAN IS IN REVOLT

Demands Removal Of "No Wives" Rule

THREATENS TO STOP PLAYING

London, July 7.

Don Bradman, illustrious Australian Test cricketer and captain of the present team now touring England, is in revolt.

According to a Reuter Special message, Bradman is at loggerheads with the Australian Cricket Board of Control, which refused his application to waive the rules to enable Mrs. Bradman to visit him in England.

The Test cricketers' contracts forbid players contact with their relatives during the tour.

It is understood that Bradman threatens to refuse to participate in future tours unless the "No Wives" rule is removed.

Neither Bradman, nor Mrs. Bradman will comment on the



situation, but the Australian newspapers are giving headlines to the subject.

The Sydney Sun, dealing with the question, refers to "Our sporting dictators."

Islington Corinthians Count Cost

Lose £750 On World Football Tour

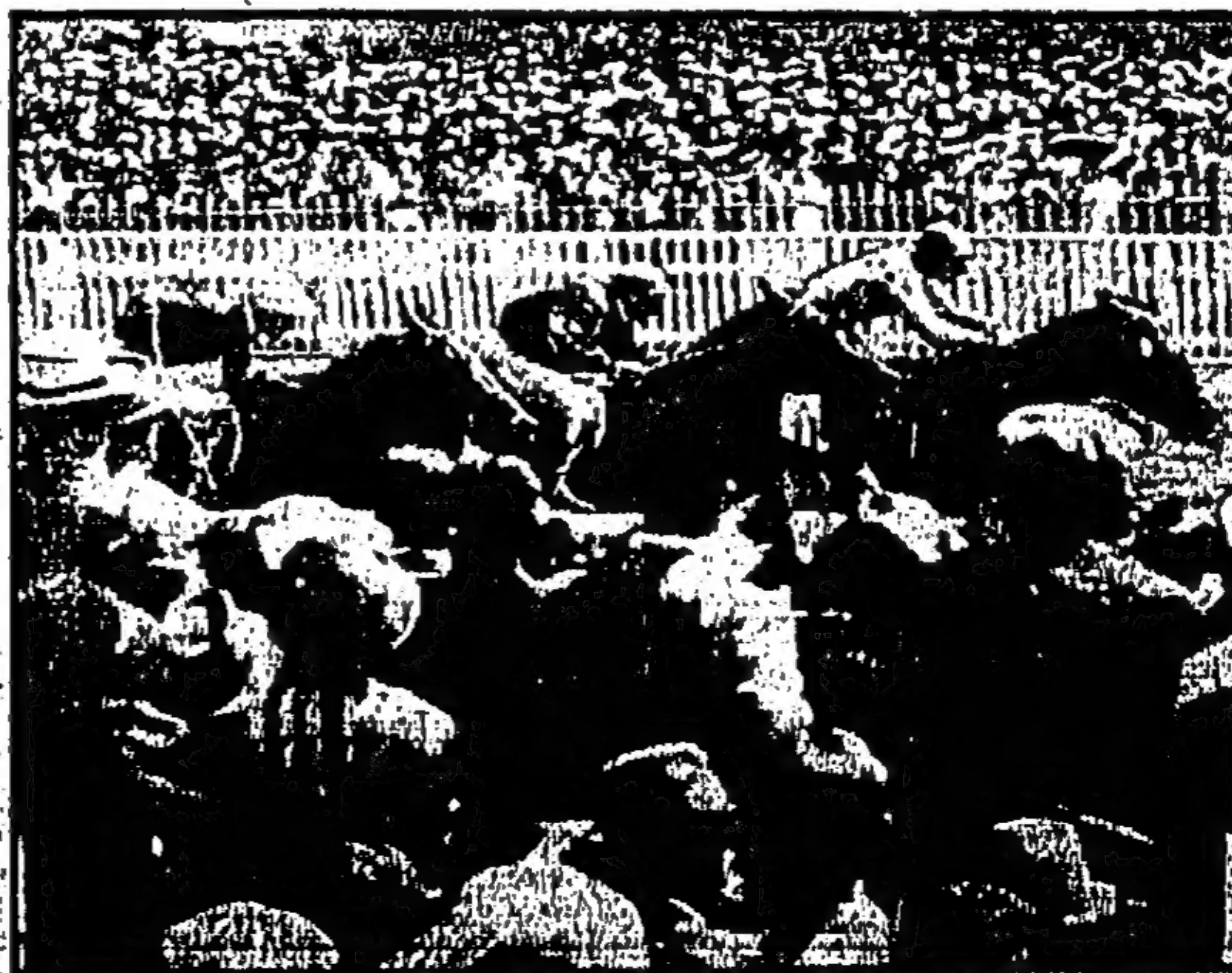
Islington Corinthians, who on the World's tour, travelled 35,000 miles to play ninety-five matches in China, Japan, Canada, India, Italy, Switzerland, Holland, Egypt, the Philippines and the U.S.A., have lost £750 on the trip. As the seventeen amateurs mostly Athenian and Islington League team players won sixty-eight of the matches, lost only eight, and drew nineteen, they fully deserved the congratulations of the F.A. President, Mr. W. Pickford, when he met them at Southampton, and said "You have carried Association football round the world and we are proud of you."

As throughout the tour, the Islington Corinthians performed excellent missionary work, it is expected the F.A. will make grant towards the club's loss. One player, J. Sherwood, the top scorer, has now signed professional forms for Reading; thirteen of the others have returned to their usual work, but three, unfortunately, find themselves out of employment.

League Tennis Results

Craigswater lost to Kowloon 3-6 in the "C" Division of the tennis league yesterday:
Z. Zimern and A. R. H. Small lost to B. Soltau and R. S. Capell 1-6; beat W. M. Gittins, and H. Broadbridge 6-3; lost to F. Broadbridge and A. Duncan 3-6.
G. Winch and H. P. Lim lost to Soltau and Capell 6-9; lost to Gittins and Broadbridge 1-6; lost to Broadbridge and Duncan 6-3.
D. Hung and W. L. Rapley drew with Soltau and Capell 6-6; drew with Gittins and Broadbridge 6-6; beat Broadbridge and Duncan 6-3.
UNIVERSITY v. INDIANS
University lost to Indians 3-6.
P. C. Yu and Y. W. Ha beat A. M. Rum-john and T. All 6-2; lost to M. Hassan and D. M. Hazack 4-6; beat S. M. Rum-john and T. Hamet 6-4.
H. T. Yang and T. S. Wong lost to A. M. Rumjahn and All 2-6; lost to Hassan and Hazack 3-6; beat S. M. Rumjahn and Hamet 6-4.
Z. T. Lee and C. H. Soon drew with A. M. Rumjahn and All 6-6; lost to Hassan and Hazack 2-6; lost to S. M. Rum-john and Hamet 2-6.

FINISH for the Ascot Gold Cup, won by Flares, from Buckleigh and Senor.



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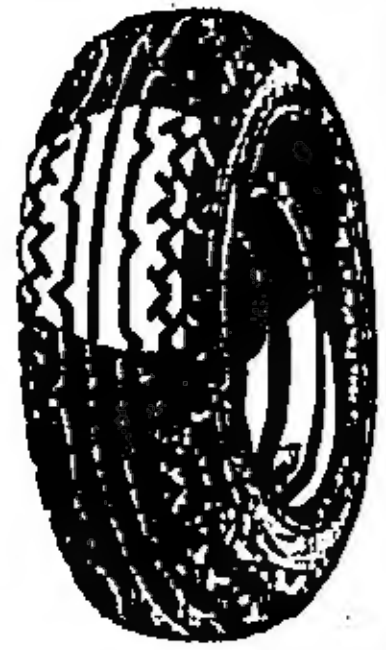
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OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"The Good Earth" (King's The-
atre).—A picture of remarkable merit
which automatically goes on one's
"Must" list. Faithful reproduction
of Pearl Buck's famous best-seller,
and some vivid portrayals by Luise
Rainer, Paul Muni, Walter Connolly
and a fine supporting cast.

"Oil For The Lamps Of China"
(Queen's Theatre).—This wonderful
film has its first showing in Hong-
kong and will rightly take its place
as one of the best cinema entertain-
ments the Colony has enjoyed for a
long while. Pat O'Brien, Josephine
Hutchinson and Jean Muir give out-
standing characterisations.

"Hunted Men" (Alhambra The-
atre).—Lloyd Nolan, Mary Carlisle
and Lynne Overman in a mixture of
drama and sentiment, with sentiment
finally triumphing to convert the
"bad man" into a hero.

"Everything Is Thunder" (Majestic
Theatre).—New contribution from
British studios, which, apart from
anything else indicates the technical
advance in Home productions. Oscar
Homolka gives a stirring performance
and convincing parts are played by
Constance Bennett and Douglas
Montgomery.

"This Is My Affair" (Oriental
Theatre).—That famous pair—
Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Taylor—
in a well conceived production, with
some typical "He Man" stuff from
Victor McLaglen. Good entertain-
ment.

J. A. R. Selby R. M. Brown (skip)
(skip)

Third Division

Hongkong Electric Kowloon F.C.
A. Tarbuck A. Eastman
J. F. Hedley V. Petherick
H. S. McKay C. Champelovier
J. Sloan (skip) F. L. Ferguson (skip)
R. C. Butler V. White
G. G. S. Thomson J. Smalley
A. F. Paul J. Glittenau
L. de Rom (skip) J. Glittenau (skip)
J. R. Way T. White
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W. H. B. Muskett W. Field (skip)
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C. P. Bato W. T. French
H. A. B. Botelho M. A. Carvalho
E. Sousa (skip) F. A. Yvanovich
(skip)
C. Voz W. Bambro
C. P. Bato A. Eastman
H. A. B. Botelho C. J. Tacchi
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D. Rozario A. E. Castro
H. G. Dawson A. J. Kew
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A. E. B. Alves (skip)
Yacht Club Hongkong F.C.
C. G. Solis
R. Edwards
T. Rowell
D. I. Bickford
E. Brown
S. Cressey
V. Walker (skip)
A. M. Dlabury
R. A. Thompson
R. A. Trengove
J. Skinner (skip)



Composite picture showing a scene from "The Good Earth", and the stars, Luise Rainer and Paul Muni, who are featured in the film which is showing at the King's Theatre to-day.

EMPIRE NEWS

AUSTRALIAN TRADE
WITH U.S.

Sydney.
The decision of the Federal Govern-
ment to revive the position of
Australian Commissioner-General in
the United States by the appointment
of Mr. R. McGregor, at present Aus-
tralian Trade Commissioner in
Canada, is believed to be due to the
hope that it will assist the forth-
coming trade negotiations between
Australia and the U.S.

It is expected that Sir Earle Page,
Minister for Commerce, will return
from London via America, and will
report on the whole subject of Aus-
tralian trade.

Sir Henry Gullett, formerly Federal
Minister for Trade Treaties, has
urged the Government representa-
tives not to repeat in the revised
Ottawa Agreement the grave in-
justices which the old one caused
both to Australian manufacturers and
British exporters. He believed that
Canada was enjoying "undue pre-
ference in the Australian market."

Japanese Pearl-ers.—Australian
pearl-ers, who have been subjected in
recent years to intense Japanese com-
petition in North Australian waters,
have learnt that 116 Japanese pearl-
ers have left the Caroline Islands
for Australia. The Japanese are ex-
pected to buy their oil supplies at
Darwin in consequence of restrictions
at home due to the war in China.

Leading Jockeys Killed.—Two of
Australia's leading jockeys, Ray Wil-
son and S. Kite, a South Australian,
were killed when several horses fell
during a sprint race of the Adelaide
Cup meeting at Morphettville to-day.
Wilson, who comes from Victoria,
only arrived this morning to ride the
hot favourite, Irving, in the Adelaide
Cup. Irving fell, in both the Cup
and the sprint there were 13 runners.
—Reuter.



Olympia Bradna, brilliant young French star who scores a solid hit in "Stolen Heaven", the new film that opens Saturday at the Alhambra Theatre. Gene Raymond is co-starred with her.

Presentation By Members At K.C.C.

Mr. A. E. Silkstone, who leaves for
Home to-morrow, was presented
with a silver cigarette box and a
camphor wood and teak inlaid chest
by his fellow-members at the Kow-
loon Cricket Club last night.

Making the presentation, Mr.
Justice Lindsell, President, said Mr.
Silkstone had been a member since
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and had been tennis player, cricketer
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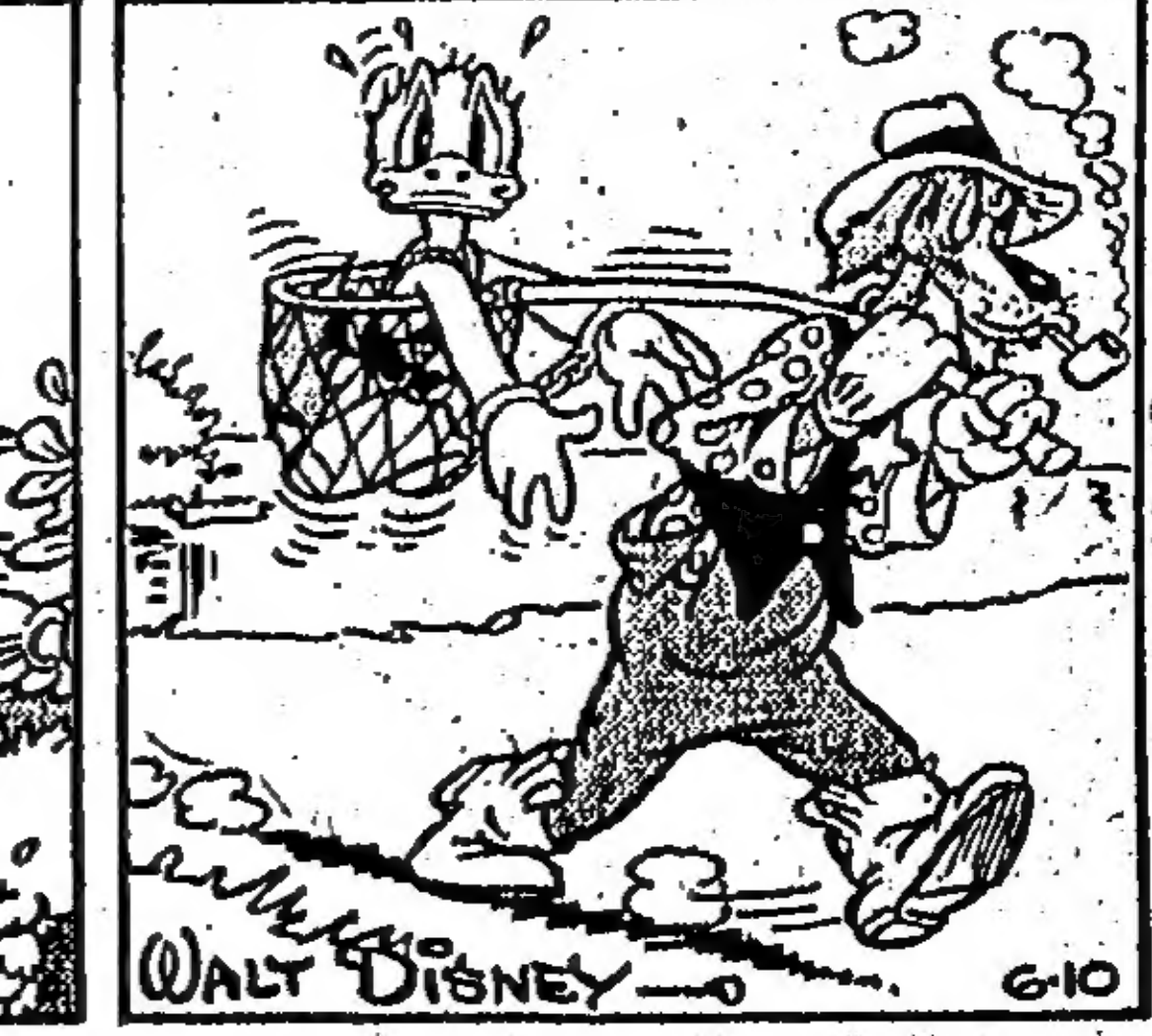
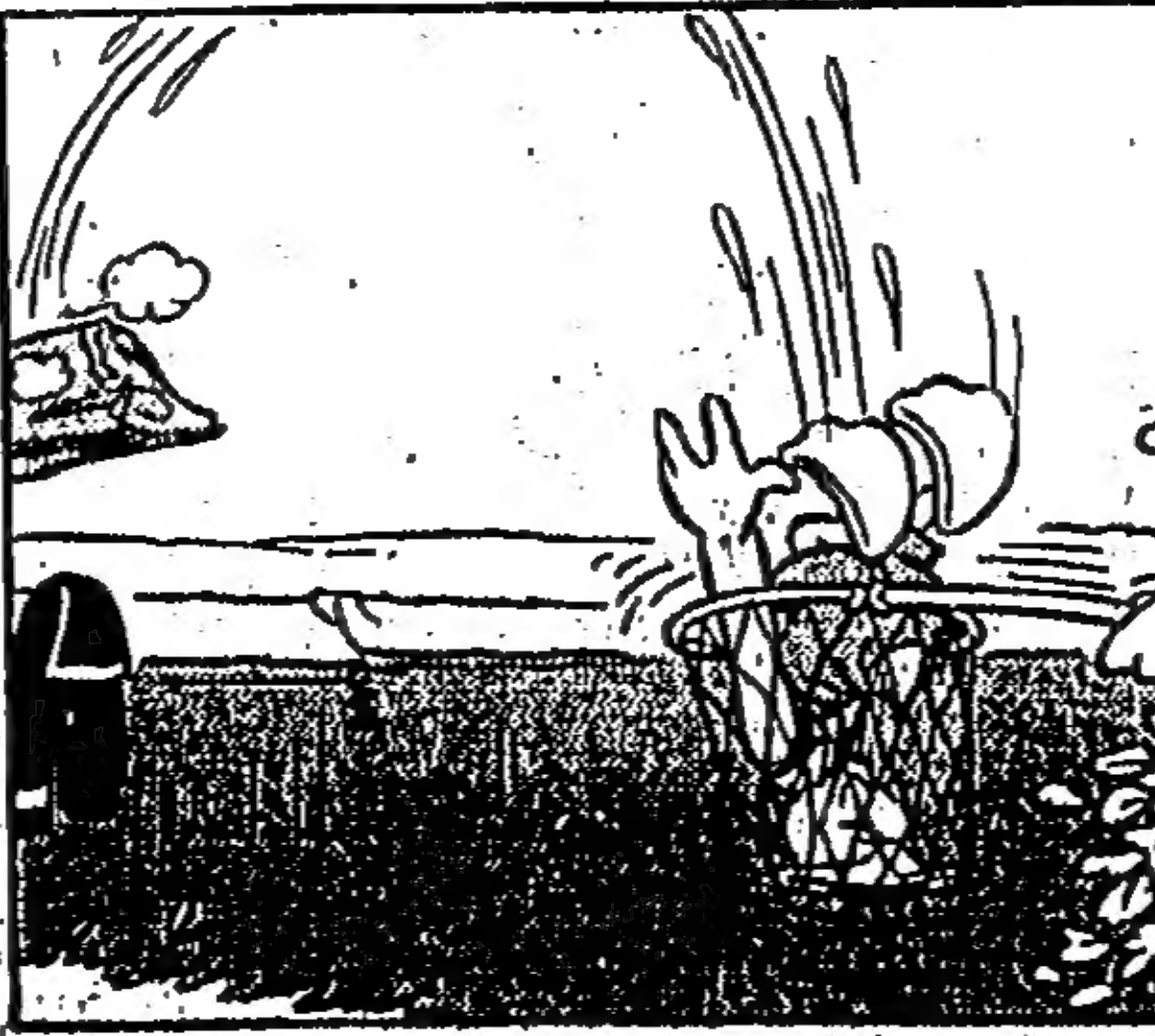
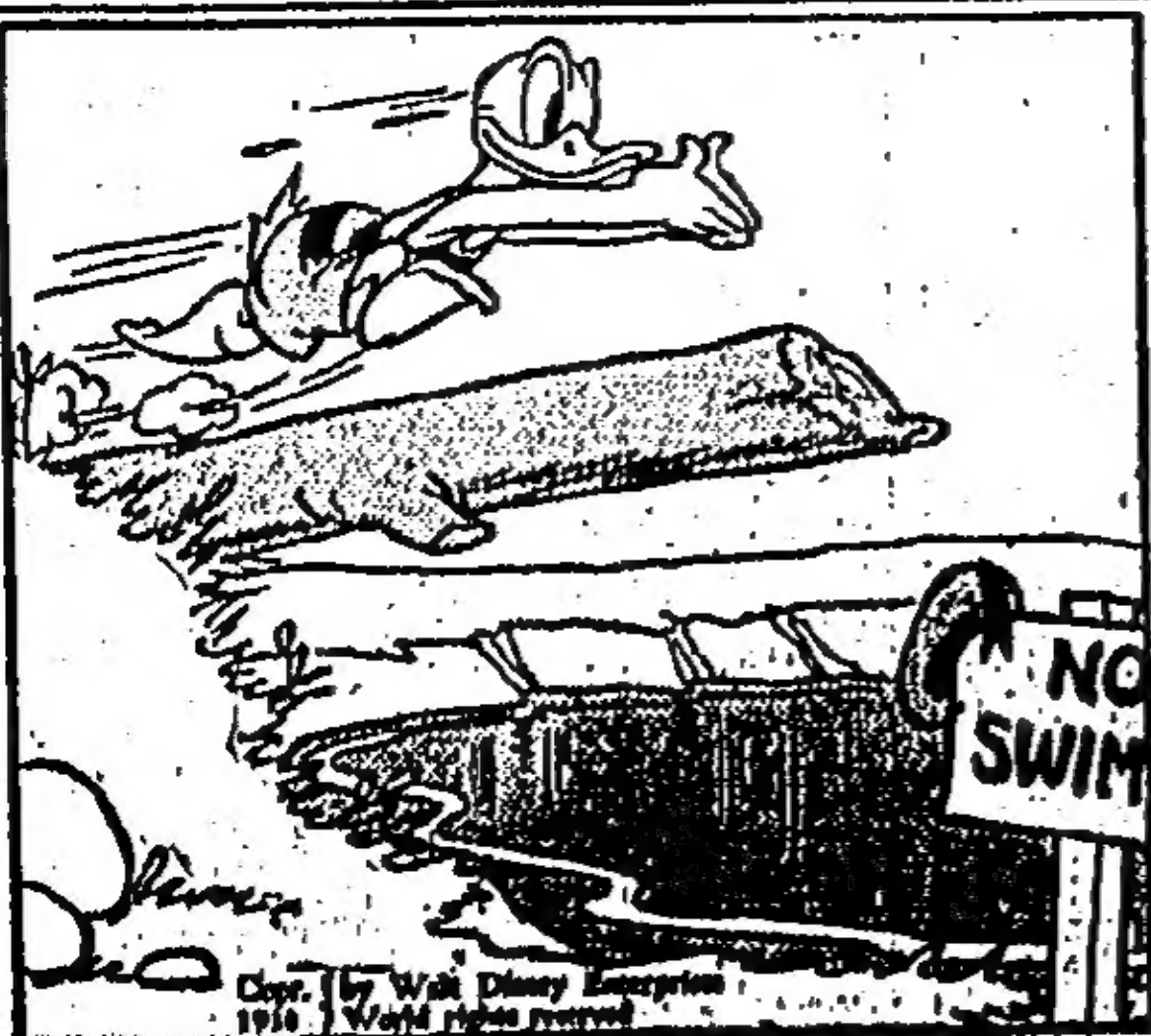
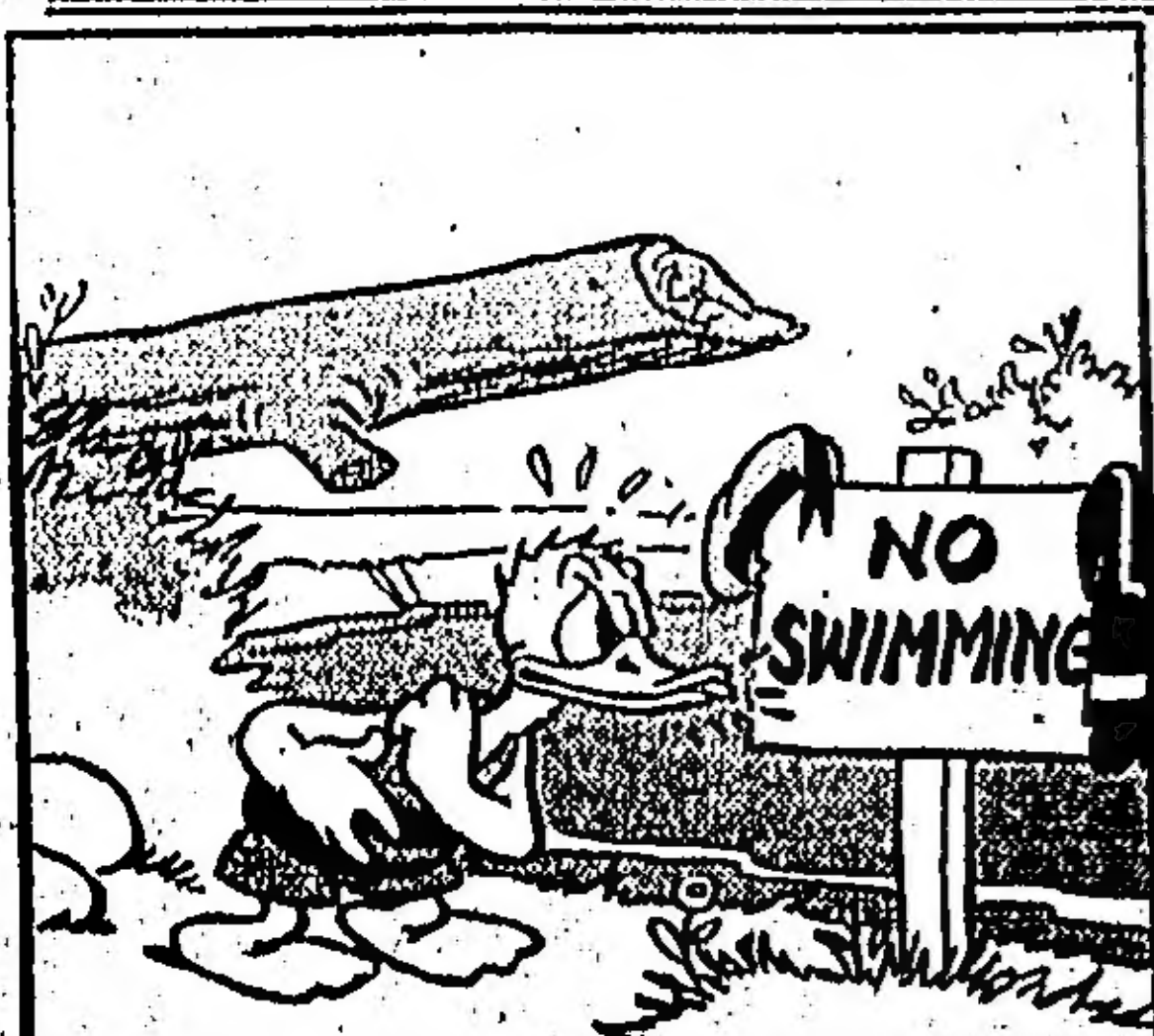
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HAPPENINGS AS SEEN BY THE CAMERA'S EYE



English pressure on both Czechoslovakia and Germany was said to have averted temporarily another world war, starting between the two disputing nations. Above is Jan Masaryk, right, Czechoslovakian Minister to London, leaving the British Foreign Office with Sir Lancelot Oliphant, deputy Under-Secretary of State, after a conference.



This W. W. Radlphoto from London shows Charley Yates, left, of Atlanta, receiving golf trophy after winning the British amateur championship in Troon, Scotland. Presentation is by Troon Captain Lindsay Carlrow, right, while Cecil Ewing of Ireland, runner-up, looks on, centre.



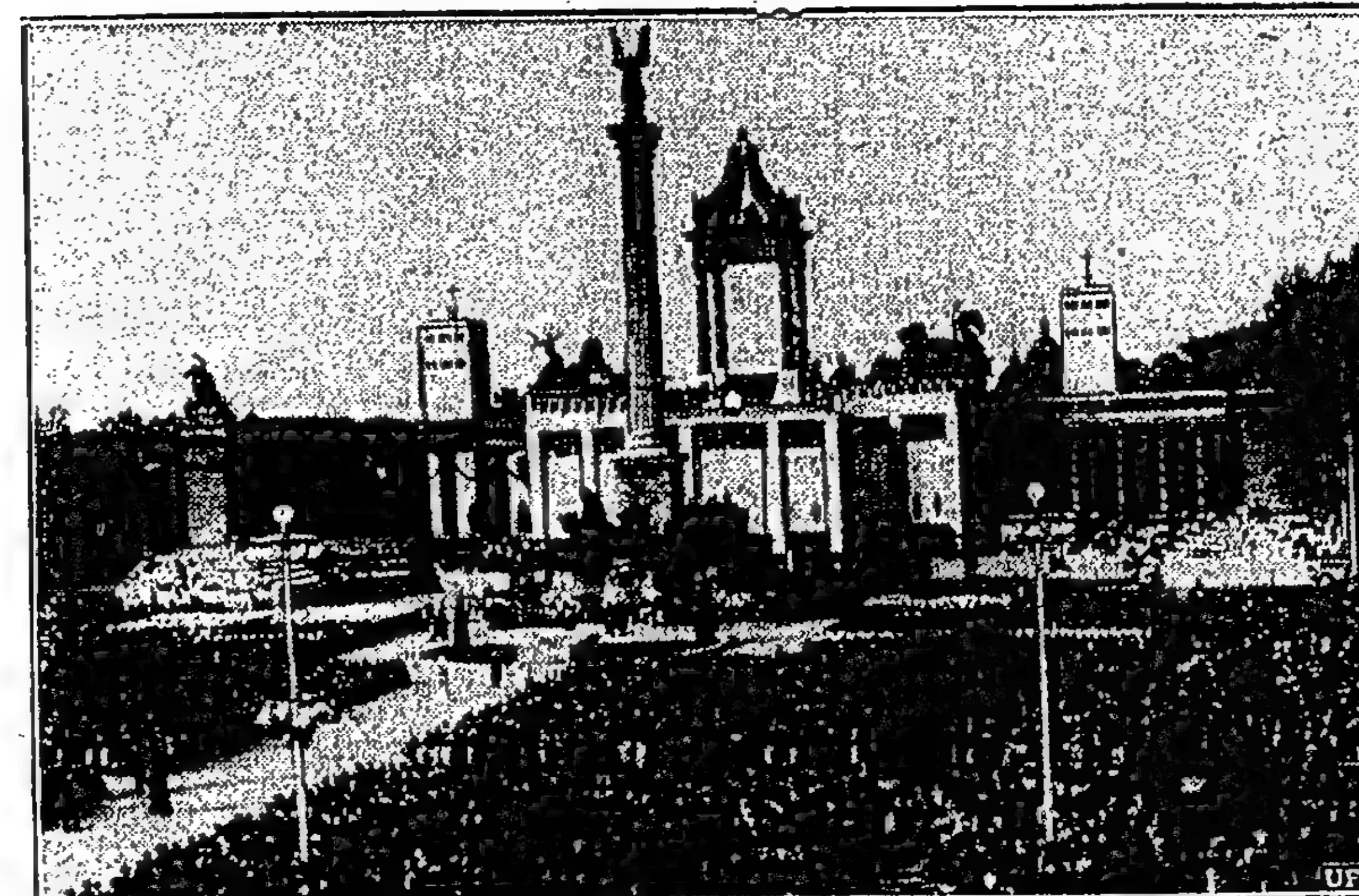
America has a way of raising up her own royalty, and among the newest crop of queens are these, shown above. Upper left, Jane Sutton, West Roxbury, Mass., Queen of May at Skidmore college, Saratoga, N. Y.; upper right, Marjorie Winston, May Queen at Duke University, Roanoke, Va., and lower panel, Sally McCullough, Galveston's Oleander Queen.



Laughing and gay here are Federal troops leaving Valles, San Luis Potosi, in a troop train bound for the hills in the Mexican state to start military operations against General Saturnino Cedillo, leader of the Insurrectionists. President Cardenas issued a manifesto calling upon all rebels to lay down their arms. But General Cedillo, who has revolted against "dictatorship," is leading an army of 14,000 armed Indian peasants, ready for warfare against Federalists in the hills.



At left is President Lazaro Cardenas of Mexico, as he arrived at Valles, in the insurrectionist state of San Luis Potosi, at the outbreak of the Cedillo rebellion. He is receiving a report from one of his officers. Later he called on the rebels to lay down their arms. But many of the peasants followed General Cedillo into the hills.



General view of the 34th Eucharistic Congress of the Roman Catholic church, in the Heldenplatz (Heroes' Square), Budapest, Hungary. Thousands of pilgrims from all over the world attended this outstanding demonstration of religious faith.

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9.30 London Relay—The News.
9.50 Latest Dance Records.
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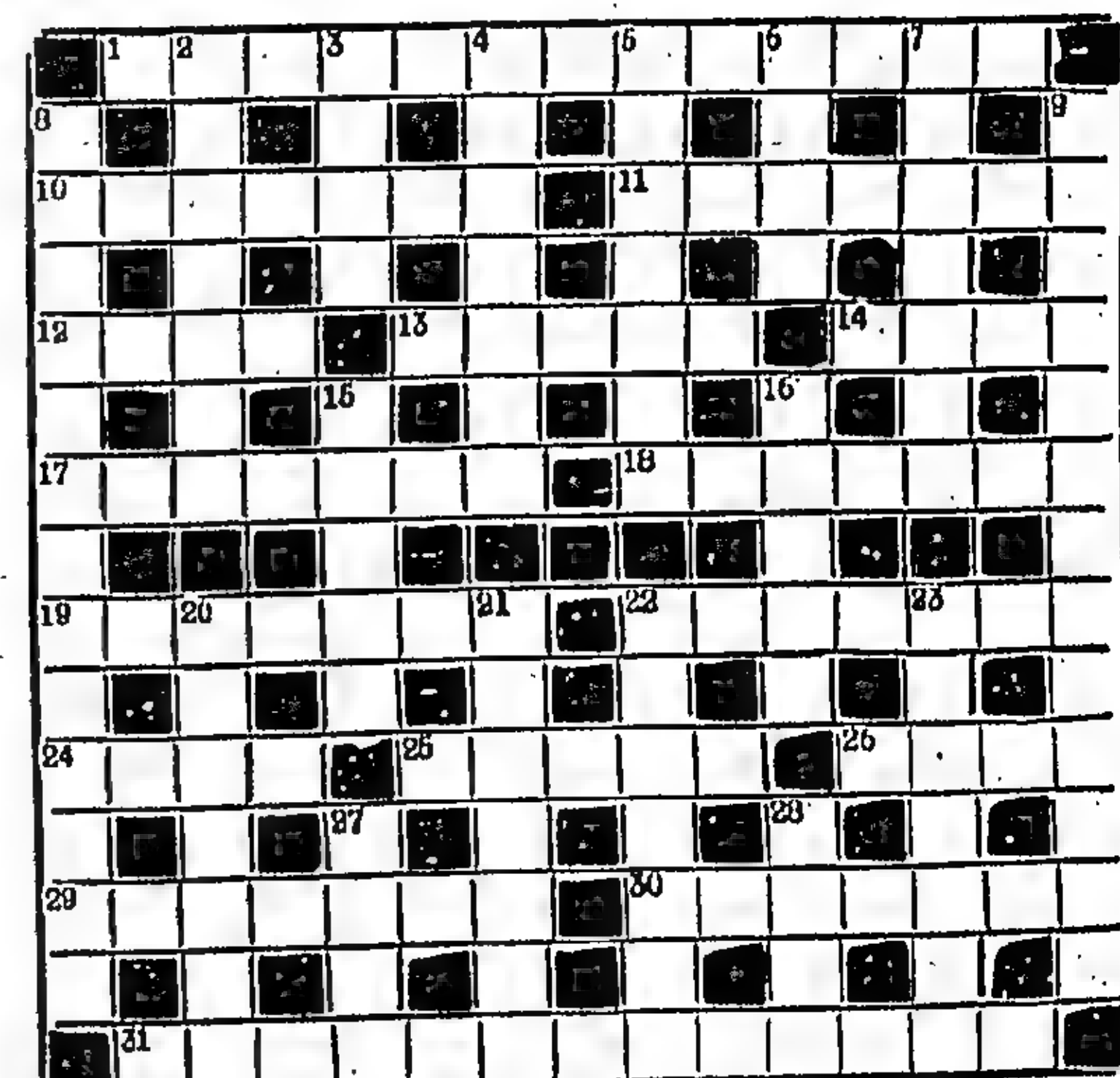
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- 10 Ask the relatives for a vegetable (7).
- 11 A character that needs hardening (7).
- 12 A cousin of the stork (4).
- 13 This wood is important in the film industry (5).
- 14 Raw material for food should be enough to satisfy one (4).
- 17 Was this novelist wild-looking? (17).
- 18 A temporary expedient (7).
- 19 This famous engineer had not so great a start (7).
- 22 "A stripe" (anag.) (7).
- 24 Not the sort of tide to strain 20 across (4).
- 25 Part of a billiard table to hinder one? (6).
- 26 This tin suggests fortitude (4).
- 29 A diddler in a way (7).
- 30 A sea-creature and a plant both share one name (7).
- 31 Sympathy (15).

DOWN

- 2 Poor music might be charming in a bad way (7).
- 3 The gardener can use this bad man (4).
- 4 If you wanted to repay a man thus you would have to add nothing to the loan (7).
- 5 Rising ground of grave significance (7).
- 6 "They have measured many a— to trend a measure with you on this grass" ("Love's Labour's Lost") (4).

- 7 One of course might become ten eggs (7).
- 8 "Sterling ships" (anag.) (13).
- 9 Perfect regularly that would be sweet for the waiter to carry out (two words—8, 5).
- 15 If you upset her you will certainly get the blame for it (5).
- 16 "Full fathom five thy father lies; Of his bones are—made" ("Tempest") (6).
- 20 This vegetable is not a marine growth (7).
- 21 Everything in the exhibition is lacking in depth (7).
- 22 This sort of dishonesty is bad in a boy (7).
- 23 A serious blow (7).
- 27 Room in 21 down (4).
- 28 Say a Swiss patriot (4).

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The Japanese all wore armlets bearing the insignia of the Rising Sun.

GUERRILLAS ATTACK TAIYUAN

Sinn, July 8.
Confusion reigned in Taiyuan city on July 2 when a strong Chinese guerrilla force suddenly made its appearance in the eastern and southern outskirts.

Taken by complete surprise, the Japanese garrison there suffered many casualties and lost a large quantity of ammunition.

The city gates were closed whilst fighting was going on in the suburbs. The guerrillas retired upon the arrival of a large number of Japanese reinforcements.—Central News.

Ex-Advisers Due Here

It is learned from Canton that the special express from Hankow which is carrying the German former advisers to the Chinese Government, headed by Baron von Falkenhausen, will arrive in Hongkong at about 12.30 p.m. to-day.

The train passed Shekpei at 8.30 a.m. to-day, says Reuter.
It was delayed yesterday on the Kwangtung border after Japanese aircraft had bombed the Canton-Hankow line and damaged it extensively.

PLEDGES AID TO CHINA

Hankow, July 8.
Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek yesterday received a cable from the International Peace Campaign, signed by Lord Cecil, pledging assistance to China.

Another cable from the French branch of the International Peace Campaign expressed "profound admiration for Chinese solidarity and sacrifices."

Mr. Lin Sen, the President of China, received a cable of sympathy from the Friends of China Association in Paris.—Reuter.

KIND WORDS WILL NOT BUY OFF DICTATORS

—Says Churchill

Mr. Winston Churchill, speaking at Sheffield last month, described the Air Force expansion plans as "lamentably inadequate" and said that, even now, the right methods of rearmament were not being used.

"A Ministry of Supply to grapple with the whole problem of armament production is still refused, and refused on the astonishing ground that there is no emergency," he said.

Doctor Struck Off at 67

By H. L. McNally

"This is a cruel sentence, but my work will go on. More good work has been done in my institute than in many of the consulting-rooms of Harley-street."

In a broken voice, grey-haired, 67-years-old Dr. Henry Nunan Collier, of Chalfont St. Peters, Buckinghamshire, told me this in an ante-room of the General Medical Council in Hallam-street, W.

This man, fifth generation of a family of doctors, had just heard the dread sentence of the Council that his name be erased from the Federal Register for "infamous conduct in a professional respect." Even the eloquence of his counsel Lord Reading, had failed to save him.

The charge against him which the council held proved, was that he was medical adviser to the Institute of Endocrinology, Baker-street, W., that he obtained patients by advertising, and that he countenanced treatment being given by an unregistered person.

"WHAT WILL THEY THINK?"
Dr. Collier had stood gripping the edge of the little "dock" while some 60 of his most distinguished colleagues watched him impassively. In secret they considered their verdict, then waited for Sir Norman Walker, the aged president, to announce it.

Dr. Collier swayed a little as he heard the Registrar directed to erase his name from the Register. From that moment he was no longer a doctor. He walked in a daze into the ante-room, where an aged woman gripped his hands in silent sympathy. For a while he was unable to speak.

"What will my family think of me?" he said to me. "I attended a great many stars of the theatrical profession. What will they think of me now? It is very cruel for me, one of a family of doctors. My great uncle was the first doctor to use chloroform with Sir James Simpson (pioneer of anaesthesia in 1847) in Edinburgh."

"But I shall continue my work with the Institute. I have had so many letters of sympathy and encouragement from patients that I must go on."

Evidence was given that Dr. Collier wrote to the council: "I consider I have been doing nothing contrary to the honour of the profession. I have never had my name on any advertisement scheme. . . I have a right to do the work I am doing, kindly accede to my request remove my name voluntarily so that I may not freely."

"AT MY AGE—"
Mr. Bryan Percy, the patient, said he answered an advertisement by the

"The anxieties of the public are quieted by the appointment of a new Air Minister and by the association of a well-known figure, Lord Nuffield, in the work of air production, and hardly a day passes without some grandiose paper scheme."

Mr. Churchill said it was certain that, just over a month ago, the Nazi party of Germany were swaying and balancing on the verge of some stroke at Czechoslovakia, which might have led to the gravest consequences. The action which the British Government took was in accordance with the highest principles of the Covenant of the League, and the fact that the situation was for the moment easier was a proof of the virtues of collective security even when exerted in an emergency from and apart from any general system.

SOMBRE FIGURES

"The idea that dictators can be appeased by kind words and minor concessions is doomed to disappointment," he said. "Volcanic conditions are alive in the world. Sombre figures are at the heads of powerful States. The dictators are preparing night and day to advance their ambitions, by peace if possible, by war if necessary."

"What are we to do to prevent war, and, if that cannot be achieved, to survive it?"

"There must be a policy and a practical plan. This plan is three-fold. First, Britain must be rearmed and strong at the earliest possible moment; secondly, we must stand by the Covenant of the League, which alone justifies a great rearmament; and, thirdly, upon the basis of the Covenant, we must unite ourselves with other countries, great or small, to assure our desire for peace and freedom, with countries who are prepared to arm in accordance with the Covenant and take concerted measures in order to resist unprovoked aggression."

THE WEAK IN PERIL

"The present is a dark hour to proclaim such a policy. Our own defenses are not good, the Covenant of the League has been broken and the League seems to be suffering while the weak everywhere are in peril."

"Yet I believe that, with resolution, we may restore all that has been lost."
Referring to the decision of the A.E.U.'s objections to joining arms talks Mr. Churchill said that the trouble arose because there had not been spread throughout the land a consciousness of a cause far above the interests of any nation—the cause of freedom.

Institute which said that treatment could be given in any town in Britain and that only one visit was necessary to the Institute.

He was suffering from dyspepsia and paid 15 guineas on account for 30-guineas course of treatment. The Institute sent him pills and tablets which did him good and ampoules for injections, given by a nurse at Grantham which did not. He refused to pay the balance, was sued, alleged fraud and the Institute withdrew the action and repaid the 15 guineas.

Dr. Collier said he was paid a salary but no commission on patients seen. "At my age I cannot go into practice—it is difficult to get anything."

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JAPANESE DELIVER WARNING TO FRANCE

OCCUPATION OF ISLANDS DANGEROUS

Tokyo Foreign Office Spokesman Explains Japanese Position

Tokyo, July 8.

Regarding the question of the French occupation of the Paracel Islands, the spokesman of the Foreign Office stated last night: "The French Ambassador, M. Charles Arsene Henry, called on the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Mr. Kensuke Horinouchi, on July 7, and verbally notified the latter that the Government of French Indo-China has appointed an administrator of the Sei Sha To (Paracel Islands) and has despatched more than ten Annamite policemen there and established a lighthouse, buoys and a wireless station, thereby effecting definite and complete occupation of the Islands by France."

"The French Ambassador stated to the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs that Japanese nationals had for more than ten years been engaged in the collection of seaweed and rock phosphate on the Islands but that their interests would be respected."

"With regard to the French verbal communication, the Foreign Office invited the French Ambassador to the Office yesterday and the Vice-Minister handed the Ambassador a note which set forth clearly the views of the Japanese Government, on which occasion the Vice-Minister discussed the question at some length with the Ambassador."

"The Vice-Minister called the attention of the French Government to the possibility that the stationing of Annamite policemen on the Islands is likely to give rise to some unexpected misunderstandings between them and the Japanese nationals there, and expressed the hope that the police force will be withdrawn."

French Note

It is understood that the Japanese note recalls that the French Ambassador sent a note to the Japanese Government in September of last year regarding the Paracel Islands. This note said that France claimed territorial rights over the Paracel Islands but would not occupy them before settlement of the dispute then going on between China and France regarding the title to the Islands.

Hard To Understand

The Japanese note says that this French note does not change Japan's position regarding the Paracel Islands, over which the Japanese Government had been negotiating with the Chinese Government as a party.

The Japanese note states that the Japanese Government finds it difficult to understand the real intentions of the French Government which, in the midst of the Sino-Japanese conflict, has taken a step inconsistent with the French note of last September, and has now communicated to the Japanese Government the French occupation of the Paracel Islands.

The Japanese note further points out that the Japanese forces have been suspending traffic of Chinese vessels off the South China coast since last August, and adds that the Japanese Government will take appropriate measures in case of necessity to enforce the said suspension of traffic in future or to protect the rights and interests possessed by Japanese nationals on the Paracel Islands.—Domei.

HIT BY DOOR HANDLE

Injuries to the right arm were received by Kong Fai, 55, of Hollywood Road, when he was struck by the door handle of car No. 3250 yesterday. He was sent to Queen Mary hospital.

GUERRILLAS CLOSE TO SHANGHAI

Dispersed By Planes And Warship

Hankow, July 8.
Heavy fighting broke out between Chinese guerrillas and Japanese troops at Kiangwan on the night of July 5, according to a Shanghai message.
At 9 o'clock the next morning, when fighting was still continuing, nine Japanese planes flew over the field to bomb the guerrillas whilst a small Japanese warship steamed into the Wantaoing Creek to shell them.
To avoid unnecessary losses the guerrillas dispersed.

Chinese planes reconnoitred over Woosung, Yanghong, Taxang, Chapel and the western district of Shanghai both in the afternoon of July 6 and the morning of July 7. Japanese anti-aircraft guns fired ineffectively at them.—Central News.

JAPANESE BEATEN BACK

Shan, July 8.
Repeated westward drives from Linfen along the Fen River in central Shansi have been made by the Japanese without success.

On July 3, a mixed brigade of Japanese infantry, cavalry and artillery captured Tientow and Matwal west of Linfen. In a counter-offensive, the Chinese drove out the Japanese and re-occupied the two villages. More than 140 Japanese were killed in the encounter.

At the height of the fighting, a unit of about 300 Japanese rushed up to reinforce their comrades, but was intercepted by the Chinese at Chientowtsun and Chientsun.—Central News.

JAPANESE SURROUNDED

Chongchow, July 8.
The Japanese at Nanyangchuan, south-west of Shaoyuanchen in north Honan near the Shansi border, are now surrounded by the Chinese.

The Japanese, assisted by artillery pieces, launched a force attack on the Chinese on Wednesday, but were repulsed.

Following this success, the Chinese threw a cordon around the invaders. Meanwhile, preparations are being made by the Japanese at Po Ai for a drive on Menghsien to the south-west. A column of between 2,000 and 3,000 troops is reported to have already reached the neighbourhood of Menghsien.—Central News.

Execution Precipitates Grave Palestine Riots



RETIRING ADVISERS ARRIVE

German Party Here From Hankow

After delays, bombings, and misreports of arrival, the Swastika Special, carrying the German former advisers to the Hankow Government, steamed into Kowloon station at 11.50 a.m. to-day.

The wives and relatives of the advisers, who had travelled from Hankow last week on the international refugee express were waiting at the platform.

The arrival of the advisers was quiet. None of them would make any statement.

General Baron von Falkenhausen, the adviser-in-chief, refused to say anything beyond pointing out that he would have to ask for police aid against any questioners.

Altogether there were 29 Germans on the train, including the technical experts and non-military men. They had all decided to return to Germany when the Nazi Government decided to withdraw advisory assistance from General Chiang Kai-shek.

Included among the men who arrived to-day were two Jews.

All of the Germans will return to their native country as soon as possible by boat, though the necessary booking facilities have not yet been made.

STATEMENT EXPECTED

It was learned that an important statement from the German advisers will be issued officially either through the German Consulate in Hongkong or through the Trans-Ocean News Agency in the course of the next two days.

The advisers received every courtesy from the Chinese Government up to the time of their departure and had no cause for complaint of their treatment.

Members of the German Consulate welcomed the party.

ROOSEVELT ON COAST TOUR

Washington, July 7.
President F. D. Roosevelt has left for a nine-day holiday tour to the Pacific Coast.

He will make a number of speeches on behalf of liberal candidates against conservatives who are fighting for Democrat nominations in the forthcoming elections.—Reuter.

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CANADA'S UNEMPLOYED are creating a difficult problem. Recently some hundreds of them seized the General Post Office (where they slept) and other public buildings in Vancouver, B.C. They demanded relief, food and shelter. When they did not get guarantees of these they rioted and fought with police. Authorities assert that many of these "unemployed" are paid agitators, some of them Americans. The Royal Canadian Mounted Police are investigating the whole situation, while the British Columbia Prime Minister, Mr. T. D. Pattullo, says: "If you want to work, go on the land." But the men want jobs in the cities.

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DEATH ROLL ADMITTED TO BE 251

Kobe, July 8.
The death roll in Kobe in now officially admitted to be 251. Over thirteen hundred people are injured, many of them seriously.—United Press.

EXPLAINS CONFLICT IN INDIA

London, July 7.

A recent dispute between the states of Siker and Jaipur was the subject of a statement in the House of Commons to-day by the Under-Secretary for India, Lt.-Col. Mulrhead.

He said: "Trouble broke out in April between Jaipur Darbar and the Rao Raja of Siker, who is the Feudatory of the Maharaja of Jaipur and whose Thikana is part of Jaipur State."

"The cause appears to have been the degree of control Darbar exercises over Thikana."

"As a result of the informal intervention of the Resident in Rajputana, Rao Raja left Jaipur on April 29. On May 25 the Jaipur Government appointed a commission under the Chairmanship of an officer of the India Political Service to investigate the causes of trouble and to suggest remedial measures. The continued refusal of the inhabitants of Siker to allow the re-establishment of normal administration there prevented this commission starting work on the spot."

"On three occasions on July 5 armed supporters of Rao Raja opened fire on Jaipur Troops and the police, who returned their fire."

"Two Jaipur police were killed and seven wounded. Fourteen of Rao Raja's supporters were killed and thirty wounded.—British Wireless."

TROOPS, WARSHIPS RUSHED TO HAIFA IN NEW EMERGENCY

Arms Smuggled to Enemy Factions, Endangering Peace of Holy Land

Jerusalem, July 7.

The execution of Ben Joseph, who was sentenced to death by a Military Tribunal and died last week, has precipitated the worst riots in Palestine since 1936.

So far, 33 are dead and over 100 are wounded.

Two battalions of British troops have been ordered to Palestine from Egypt, in H.M. cruiser Emerald, which was en route to England from the East Indies Station, and was diverted from the Suez Canal to Haifa, where she arrived yesterday. H.M.S. Repulse is scheduled to arrive on Friday.

To-day's casualties are three dead and 16 wounded.

Those who were killed yesterday were buried before dawn in an effort to prevent demonstrations.

U.S. PLANS POWERFUL P. I. BASES

If Independence Of Islands Delayed

Washington, July 7.

It is authoritatively learned that the United States has drawn up tentative plans for the establishment of powerful military, naval and air force bases in the Philippines in the event of independence being delayed.

Strategic experts have come to the conclusion that the best measures that can be taken if the political relationship between the U.S.A. and the Philippines is lengthened would be to concentrate on aerial power.

From the financial point of view aerial power would also be most acceptable to the U.S.A., which would not suffer severe losses when she finally withdraws.—United Press.

JAPANESE FAIL TO REPORT

Geisha Girl Warned To Appear

Three Japanese residents of the Colony were charged with breaches of the Passport Ordinance at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Charged with failing to report his departure for and arrival from Macao within 24 hours, Tetsumoto Sanji, 40, clerk, was fined \$5 on each charge by Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith.

Through an interpreter the defendant said: "I did not know I had to report within 24 hours. If I have known, I would have made a report."

Motomune Koroku, 42, barber, charged with the same offence was absent and had his bail of \$20 ex-tortured.

A geisha girl, Nakamura Taka, 18, was not in court on the same charge and was remanded for 24 hours, as the first defendant said she was sick in bed. A warrant for her arrest would be issued if she failed to appear, it was stated.

Apparently thousands of Arabs and many Jews possess arms, despite the recent precautions by the British authorities, which included the destruction of Arab terrorist villages, the erection of barbed-wire system along the Syrian frontier and the construction of blockhouses in northern Palestine in an effort to stop gun-running.

In Jordan Valley, aeroplanes aided the trans-Jordan police in battling with a band of 200 terrorists, the leader of whom was captured. Casualties are as yet unknown.

Near Beihan a detachment of the Royal Ulster Rifles discovered 120 Arabs attempting to sabotage the Iraq oil pipe-line.

In Haifa an Arab taxi-driver was dragged from his cab and hanged by a mob.

In Jerusalem the death sentence has been passed on four Arabs con- (Continued on Page 4.)

STOP PRESS

with reference to the death roll

BEAUTY PINK-LIDO GREEN-DUTCH BLUE-TIGER GOLD

☆ here are the new colours for the

OPEN AIR GIRL

WISE sports girls are careful in choosing clothes for summer week-ends. My advice to them is to remember that fabrics are of first importance if they want their dresses to look fresh all through the summer.

Something that will wash repeatedly is what they need, and good "wearing" materials are receiving my serious attention just now.

For bright, sunny days colours have taken on a pastel tone this year. They look lovely against the dark foliage of the river banks, effective by the sea, and for spectator sports by the swimming pool.

Ivory, too, is used as the background for gaily coloured designs and Jersey à pois is the attractive name of the Chinese fabric selected for pattern No. 1152. Brightly coloured minute dice shaped spots in five different contrasting shades have an ivory background in the material used for this little suit.

Orange, blue, brown and green are the shades in the one I have chosen. Both dress and coat have sleeves. Bodice of frock is buttoned to waist and trimmed with pockets, and the skirt has panel pleat in front only.

Collared jacket comes to just below the hips, a useful length if you are not very slim, and is also decorated with pockets to match.

Four sizes are available as this is a good style for the small woman. 32, 34, 36, and 40 in. bust. Size 36 in. bust takes 3 1/2 yds. 36 in. bust takes 4 yds. 36 in. Jersey à pois.

It is not every girl whose legs are good enough for shorts and the divided skirt is getting more popular every year. The charm of pattern No. 1153 is that when you are standing still the design looks like an ordinary skirt.

By means of deep pleats you have a dress that gives you the same freedom of movement as shorts.

You will find this style useful, too, for cycling and walking on hot days. Cut with the new yoke top, it is buttoned to below the waist, so is easy to slip on and off. Easy to get into, and out of, it doesn't spoil your hair when making a quick change.

Two sharply pointed pockets prevent the impression of width at the hips. There is a lovely range of new colours, and here they are for your choice.

Beauty pink, the colour of apple blossom, canteloup, which is a light tangerine, Dutch blue, lido green, new azure, oyster, reseda, tiger gold and ivory.

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First, a neat dress and jacket in ivory dotted Jersey à pois. Next, a comfortable divided skirt for tennis and all sports



Ironing Hints

CLOQUE is one of the fashionable materials for day and evening wear just now. It is seen in dresses and two-piece suits, in informal and formal functions, and it is, altogether, a member of the hard-working fabric fraternity.

The preservation of its appearance, therefore, is important, so here is a hint about ironing the fabric which is worth noting. Cloque should always be ironed when nearly dry, and you should not press too hard with the iron upon the material. The material should be stretched both ways when you are ironing it.

Crepe fabrics, which are also very much to the fore in the summer fashion scene, should be ironed in the same way as cloque. The stretching of the material in both directions is most important, as merely sliding the iron over the material is not sufficient for these fabrics.

When you fold some garment on the ironing board be careful that you do not iron the material on the fold of the garment either. The hem, and the edge of the article where the fold is should be pressed, and the rest of the article should be ironed in the direction of the material. Always iron on the straight of the material.

These hints on ironing were given by Mrs. Markham, a representative from the Lux Washability Bureau of Lever Bros., during a short conversation yesterday in the fabrics department of Patrick Thomson, Ltd., North Bridge, Edinburgh.

Mrs. Markham shows the fabrics which have passed the "washability test" of the Bureau, and gives hints on laundering the various materials to anyone who cares to consult her. She will be available at the shop until Saturday of this week.

Among the interesting materials which can be seen are spun rayons, crepes, and cottons, in bright patterns, and a new material in art silk featuring a lace effect. This new fabric in pastel shades is suitable for lingerie, and it, like the others, has passed the test.

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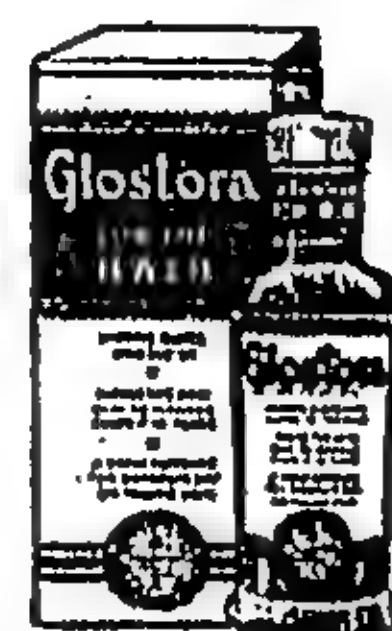
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IN hot weather we grow lyrical over thirst-quenching drinks, and sit up and take notice at the sound of ice tinkling against glass.

A cooling fruit cocktail is a good beginning to a hot weather lunch. It whips up the palate for the meal, and refreshes you.

For a tomato juice cocktail, strain the juice from sound, ripe tomatoes, press through a fine sieve to clear them of coarse fibre in the pulp, and also seeds. Flavour to taste with salt and pepper and a squeeze of lemon juice.

Another appetiser comes from orange and lemon juice used in small quantities. If the cocktail is unsweetened, add a few grains of pepper.

Grape-fruit juice and mint make an interesting drink. Squeeze the juice from the grape-fruit and stir in very finely chopped mint, to which a little caster sugar has been added. Pour into cocktail glasses and finish off with a mint leaf floating on each. Instead of mint, some people like lemon juice and a slice of lemon can take the place of the mint leaf.

For Those Who Are Slimming

Pine apple juice cocktail is for the slimming sisterhood. Fresh juice squeezed from the fruit is best, but tinned pineapple can be used. Drain the liquid and add sufficient lemon juice to give it a tang. Serve ice cold in cocktail glasses with potato crisps and salted almonds.

Pear and pineapple juice make good companions. And to give a pear and pineapple cocktail a good complexion, add just a touch of preserved raspberry juice, that is if fresh raspberries are not available. No sugar will be needed, and if the cocktail is not sharp enough in flavour add a little lemon juice.

A tasty short drink can be made from a mixture of fruit juices. Lemon, pineapple, orange, and raspberry juice are mixed together. A wafer slice of banana and a mint leaf should decorate each glass.

When it comes to "long" drinks, orangeade is certain to be in request. Make this by pouring a pint of boiling water on to the rinds of four oranges. These should be pared very thinly. After covering for half a day, make a syrup with a pint and a half of water and half a pound of sugar, adding this to the rinds, together with the juice of the oranges and the juice of three extra oranges. Stir energetically, then strain and add a little extra lemon juice if you wish.

Almond Water and Mint Sherbert

Almond water is very simple to make, and pleasing to the palate. Place four ounces of sweet almonds and one of bitter almonds in a pan with a quart of cold water. Bring to the boil and simmer very slowly for half an hour. Add three-quarters of a pound of sugar and allow this to dissolve. Strain and bottle. Half a cupful of the water in soda makes a glorious "long" drink.

Mint sherbert is a most refreshing drink and takes very little trouble to make. Dissolve one pound of sugar in a quart of water and add several leaves of chopped mint. Cover the bowl for an hour, then add the juice of three fine lemons. Strain before serving.

Have you tried a coffee milk "shake"? This has the merit of being stimulating as well as refreshing. For each glass allow sufficient coffee essence to make a breakfast cup full.

Mix the coffee with unsweetened condensed milk, allowing two table-spoonfuls to each glass of water. Sugar as you wish, then add the necessary amount of cold water and whisk in a large jug until frothy. The addition of a little ice cream makes this "shake" even more delightful.

M. W.

SUMMER BEAUTY

THE most important part of making-up one's face is the application of the foundation cream or lotion," said Miss Winifred Fowler, one of Elizabeth Arden's London representatives, when giving a private demonstration of the new Elizabeth Arden summer make-ups recently.

"The foundation of your powder should always be carefully moulded into the face, for if the foundation is put on in a haphazard manner the rouge and powder cannot look right," she added.

The use of two different shades of powder was recommended. When making-up during the day it was advisable, said the expert, to use a light shade of powder first, then apply a darker shade on top, to get the best even results. In the evening, the process had to be reversed, and a darker powder put on first, with a lighter shade on top, so that an effect of transparency and extreme clearness of skin could be obtained.

Powder should always be blended into the skin. It was stated. If it was applied carefully, it should stay on, without replenishing, for about three or four hours.

The two new make-ups which were shown on living models were called "sun tan" and "sun fair." The sun tan make-up could be used by those who were already tanned by the sun, or by those who were not, and wanted to acquire a "healthy, open-air look."

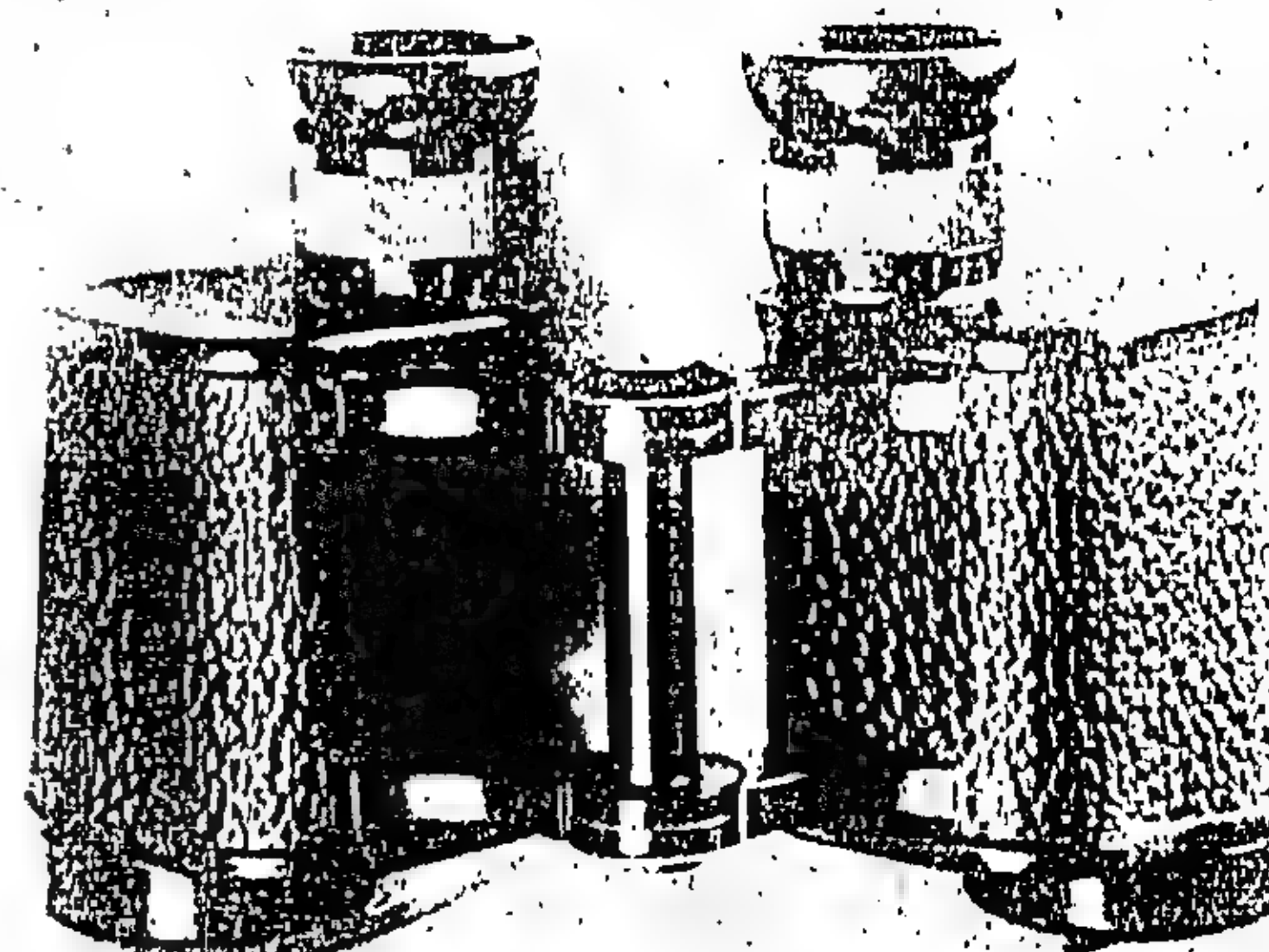
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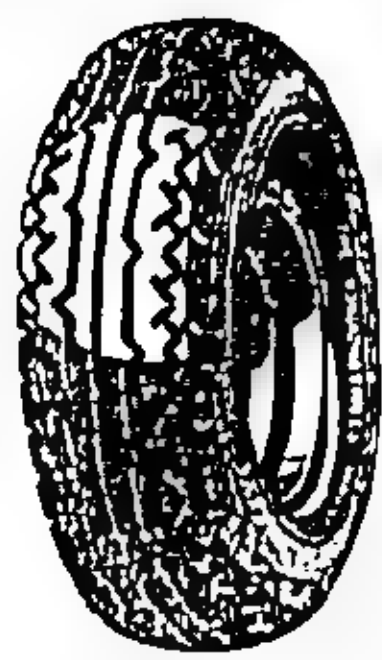
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PLAYERS SELECTED

The following players have been selected to represent the various clubs in to-morrow's League Bowls matches:

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A. S. Gomes S. O. Bux
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C. S. Roscoe A. H. Minu
R. Hana (skip) M. R. Abbas (skip)
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F. Conner M. Y. Adal
H. W. Dradbury A. K. Minu (skip)
Police R.C. Kowloon C.C.
J. Orem W. Hyde
J. C. S. Fender T. Madar
G. Parkins H. Overy
A. E. Carey (skip) E. C. Fincher (skip)
W. McLeod V. C. Labrum
C. Dowman W. Muehby
C. Nolan A. W. Smith
E. G. Post (skip) E. Kern (skip)
W. Cameron H. Nish
J. Tilton J. M. Brown
W. Malr H. Craig
G. C. Moss (skip) J. Hyde (skip)
Kowloon B.G.C. Club de Recrio
C. C. Norman C. E. Marques
C. B. Hocking A. A. Hernandez
A. J. Hall H. A. Alvarez (skip)
J. G. Meyer (skip) H. A. Alvarez (skip)
F. A. Cheesman I. F. Xavier
A. Macfarlane D. C. Alves
I. Guy J. Silva
E. W. Lines (skip) H. F. Luz (skip)
John Watson J. E. Noronha
M. White J. V. Ribeiro
A. Hyde Lay C. G. Silva
B. Duncan (skip) F. X. M. Silva (skip)
Civil Service C.C. Kowloon Dock
J. W. Deakin
G. H. Sherriff
J. Holliday (skip)
R. H. Davies
B. Wood
W. Simmonds
S. Randle (skip)
J. Gellatly
W. J. Durling
L. A. Polyer
J. F. McGowan (skip)

Second Division

Club de Recrio Kowloon B.G.C.
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C. B. Bodo D. W. Waterson
C. V. V. Ribeiro W. S. Strike (skip)
J. B. Bodo W. S. Strike (skip)
C. C. Remedios A. Macintyre
C. C. Pereira I. A. R. Duncan
A. P. Guterres J. S. Logan
B. Bodo (skip) T. Armstrong (skip)
A. Xavier E. V. Searle
C. A. Lopes H. E. Drew
C. A. Gutierrez F. P. Phillips
F. X. Soares G. E. F. Thompson (skip)
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W. R. Hillyer H. Brown
W. H. Cullip (skip) W. E. Hollands (skip)
E. Kinnon L. Glendinning
J. H. Carr F. Channing
J. W. Cook A. Wright
A. B. Allan (skip) F. E. E. Booker (skip)
H. F. Harper W. Glendinning
P. D. Crawley J. S. Riddell
J. H. Pengelly W. Campbell
S. Eccoball (skip) W. McCarty (skip)
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J. Russell H. W. Randall
J. Rodger (skip) M. A. R. Souza (skip)
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W. Buller W. Penny
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S. A. Monnell J. Ward
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OUR GUIDE TO THE CINEMAS

"The Good Earth" (King's Theatre).—A picture of remarkable merit which automatically goes on one's "Must" list. Faithful reproduction of Pearl Buck's famous best-seller, and some vivid portrayals by Luise Rainer, Paul Muni, Walter Connolly and a fine supporting cast.

"Oil For The Lamps Of China" (Queen's Theatre).—This wonderful film has its first showing in Hong-kong and will rightly take its place as one of the best cinema entertainments the Colony has enjoyed for a long while. Pat O'Brien, Josephine Hutchinson and Jean Muir give outstanding characterizations.

"Hunted Men" (Alhambra Theatre).—Lloyd Nolan, Mary Carlisle and Lynne Overman in a mixture of drama and sentiment, with sentiment finally triumphing to convert the "bad man" into a hero.

"Everything Is Thunder" (Majestic Theatre).—Neat contribution from British studios, which, apart from anything else indicates the technical advance in Home productions. Oscar Homolka gives a stirring performance and convincing parts are played by Constance Bennett and Douglas Montgomery.

"This Is My Affair" (Oriental Theatre).—That famous pair—Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Taylor—in a well conceived production, with some typical "He Man" stuff from Victor McLaglen. Good entertainment.

J. A. R. Selby R. M. Pown (skip)

Third Division

Hongkong Electric Kowloon F.C.
A. Farbank A. Eastman
J. F. Hedley F. Petherick
H. S. McKay C. Champlovier
J. Sloan (skip) T. Ferguson (skip)
R. C. Butler V. White
G. S. Thomson J. Smalley
A. F. Paul V. Chittenden
J. de Rome (skip) J. Chittenden
J. H. Way T. White
W. Stoker R. Hall
J. F. Lunny C. Turney
W. H. B. Muskett W. Field (skip)
Club de Recrio Kowloon C.C.
A. F. Noronha W. T. French
C. M. Silva L. Jack
M. A. Carvalho T. Carr (skip)
P. A. Yonovich (skip)
C. Vaz W. Bambo
C. P. Basto H. Harding
H. A. B. Botelho C. J. Tace
E. Sousa (skip) J. M. Jack (skip)
A. M. Xavier A. Dand
J. Sequeira A. E. Perry
C. S. Alves H. H. Marks
C. R. Pereira (skip) W. H. H. Marks
Craigengower C.C. Kowloon Tong
C. W. Lam C. Mose
T. Locke J. Tang
A. B. Hamson J. L. Stephens
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Composite picture showing a scene from "The Good Earth", and the stars, Luise Rainer and Paul Muni, who are featured in the film which is showing at the King's Theatre to-day.

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MANILA SHARES

The following quotations were received after the close of the morning session through Reuters:

Business Done	Prices in Pesos
July 7	July 8
Antamok	31 1/2
Atok	28 1/2
Banque Gold	21 1/2
Banque Consolidated	10 1/2
Coco Grove	Unq.
Consolidated Mines	Unq.
Demonstration	Unq.
LX.L.	Unq.
Paracale	Unq.
San Maurice	42 1/2
Suyoc	18 1/2
United Finance	29 1/2

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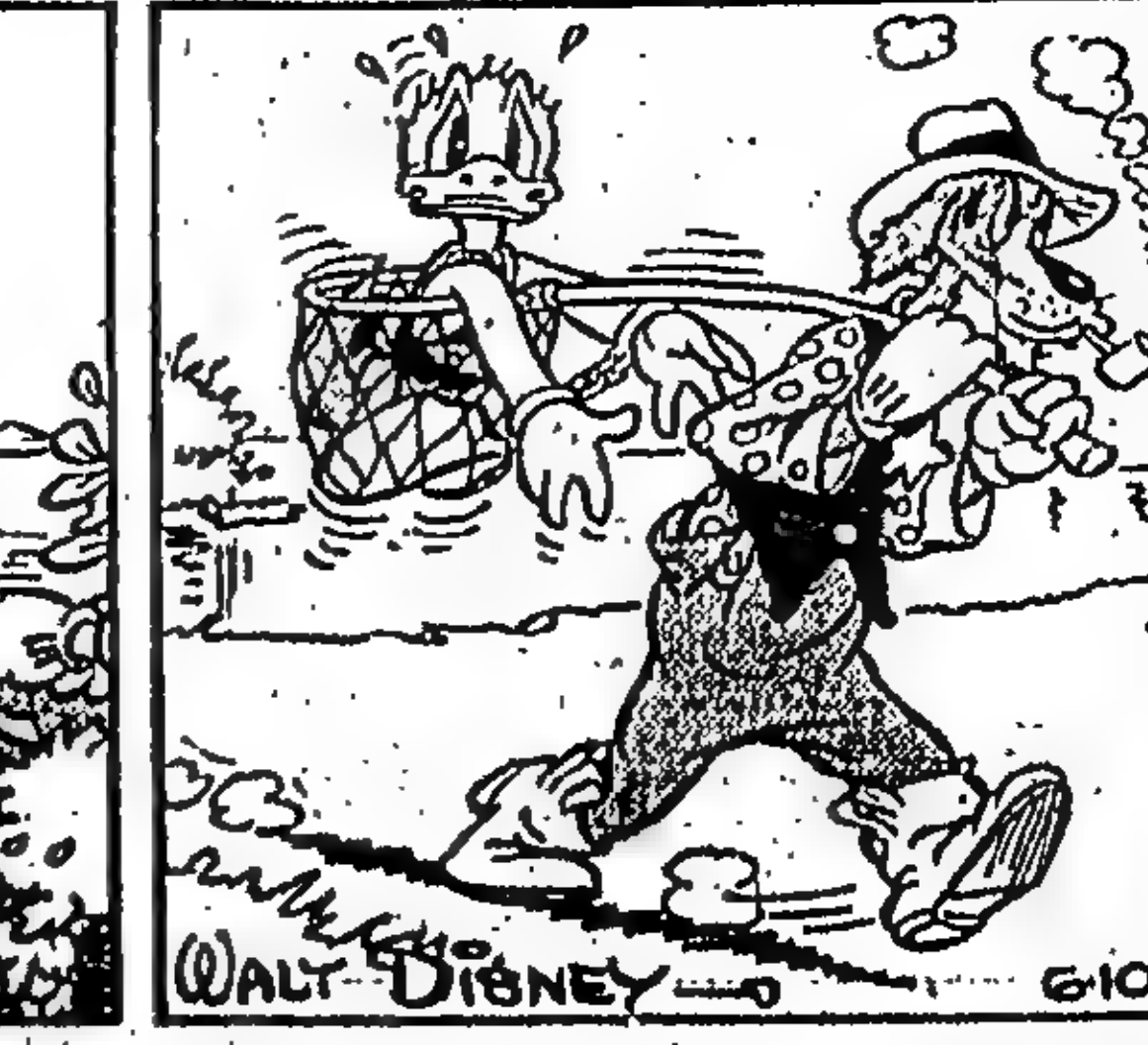
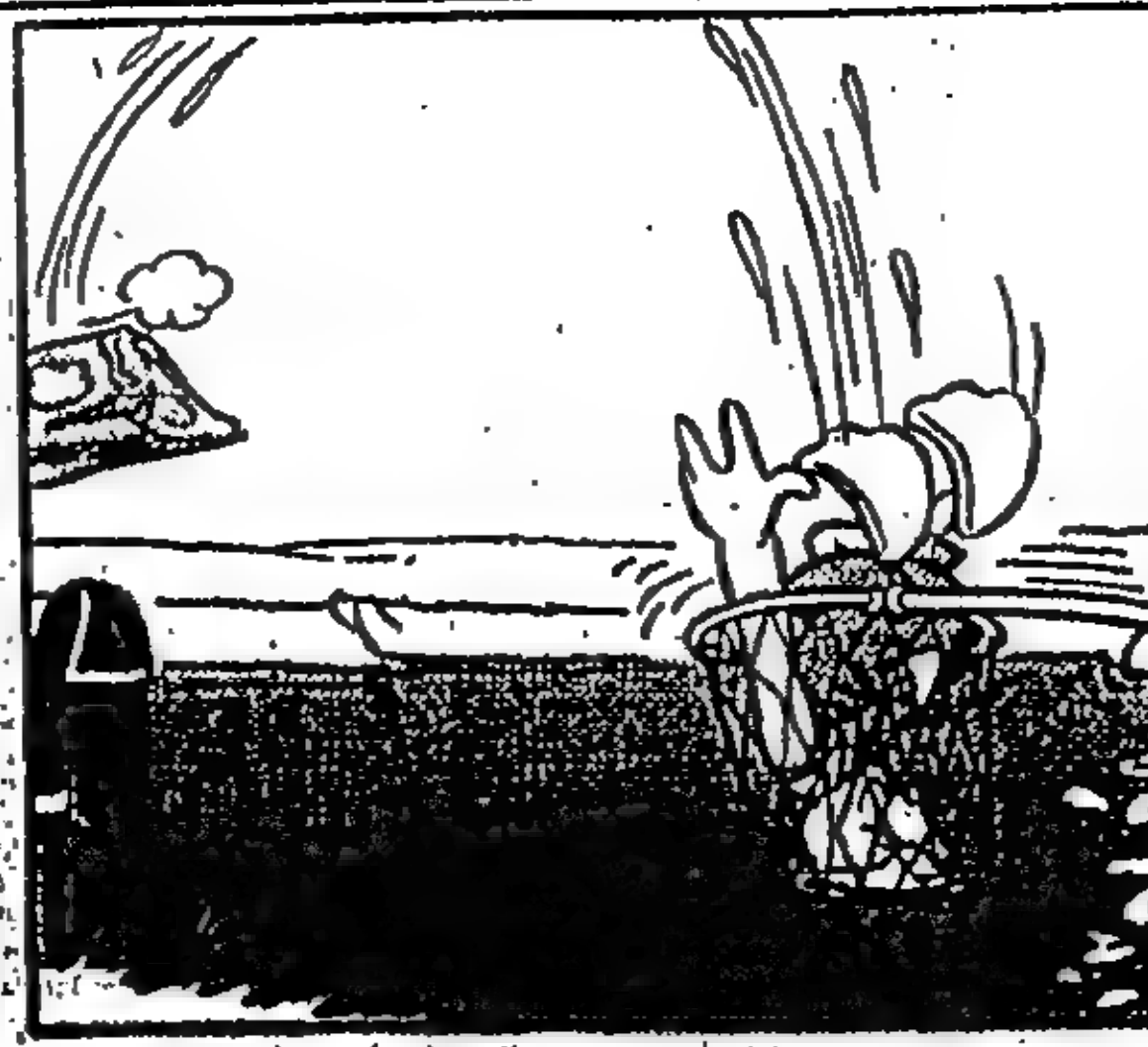
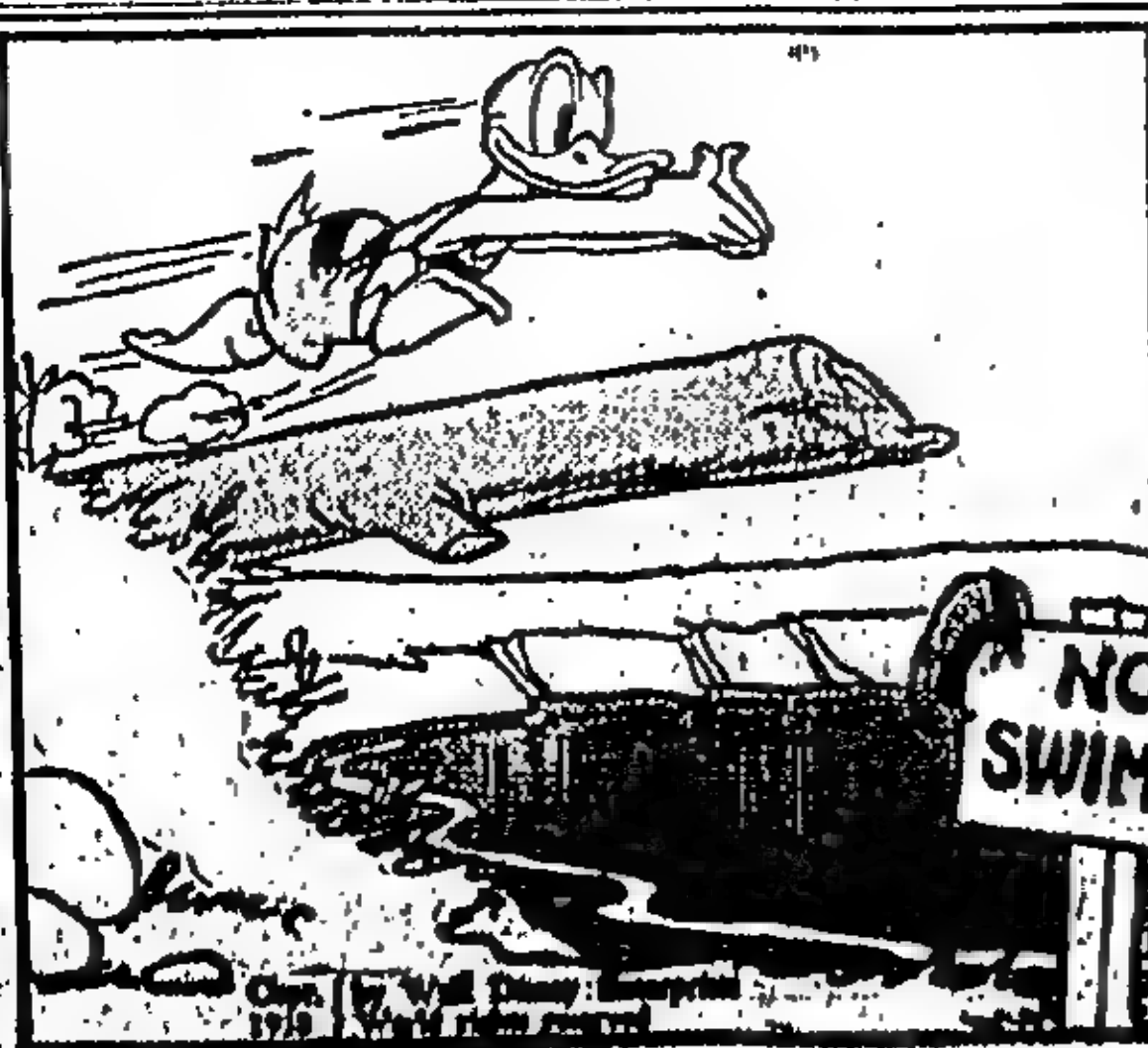
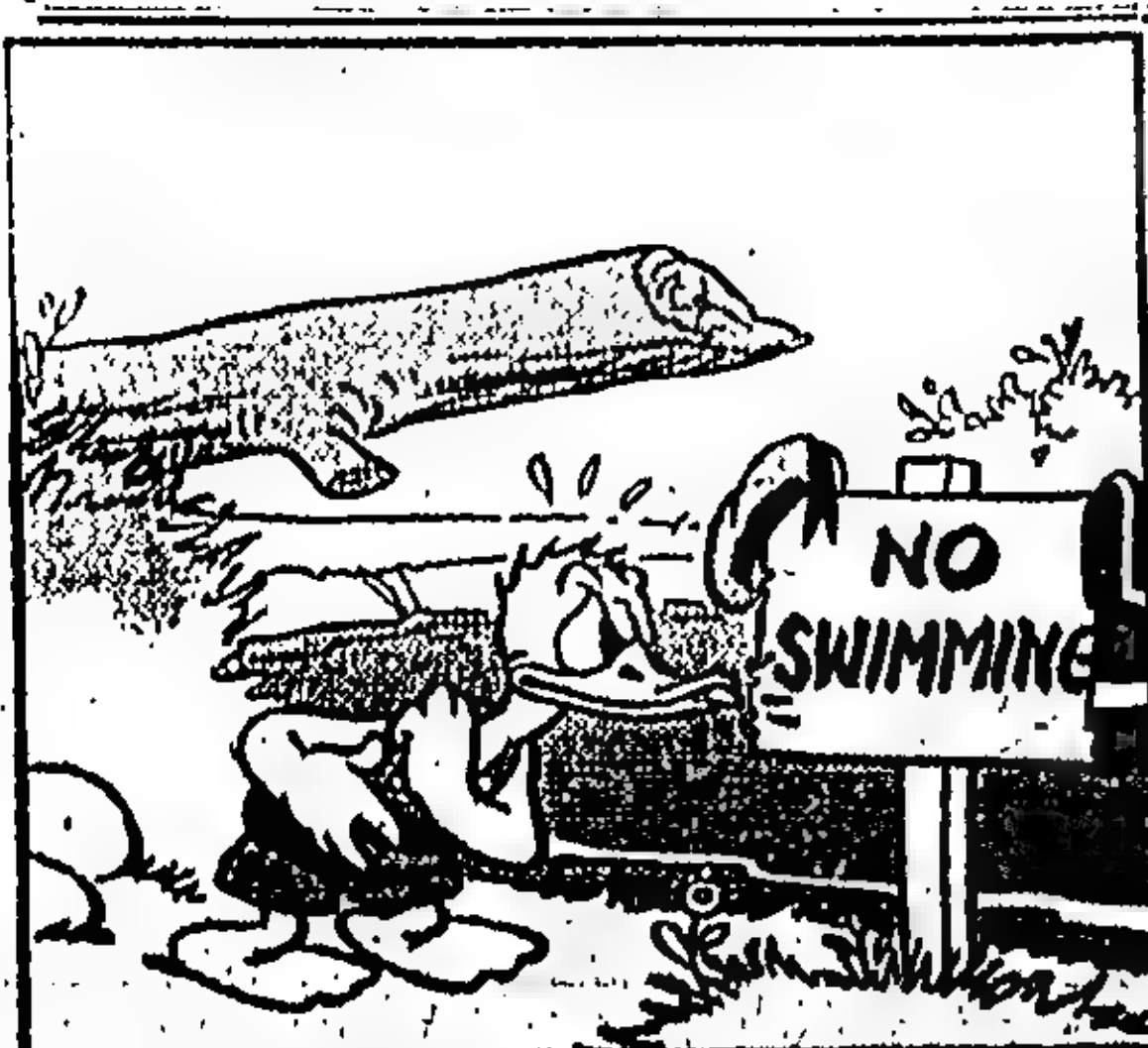
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Now Go on With the Story Chapter Five

A steward knocked diffidently on the door of Jim Guthrie's cabin the next morning. He entered and served Jim, who was pacing the floor, a stiff hooker of whiskey. Jim downed it at a gulp and turned to the watchful Pancho.

"Well," he said, "there's no use delaying the agony. I might as well tell her."

Pancho shook his head. "You're a brave man, Jim," he said.

"Don't you believe it, I'm terrified. But it has to be done — so

Miss Terry." Eliza read the message and then turned to Jim. There was a look of agonized disbelief in her face and her eyes quickly filled with tears. Jim jumped from his chair and came to her, deeply concerned. "What is it, Eliza?" he asked softly.

"Don't leave me!"

Without a word Eliza handed him the message. It was from Madame Dolin.

"GUTHRIE TAKING YOU TO BUENOS AIRES TO SING STOP IS LARGE INVESTOR OPERA COMPANY THERE STOP ONLY INTERESTED IN MONEY INVOLVED STOP RUDY AND I FLYING TO MEET BOAT STOP MY POOR DARTING."

Jim looked up at Eliza. "Is it true?" she asked quietly.

Jim nodded. "All except one thing," he said. "It didn't do it for my own money — there were other people involved — friends of mine. And there was my pride."

Eliza looked at him fully. "What about my pride?" she demanded.

"I'm sorry," Jim offered contritely.

Eliza stared. "Why?" she asked.

"You've done what you set out to do — made love to me — no, that's not fair. In fact, you didn't make love to me — you let me make love to you. I made it easy for you, didn't I? She turned away from him to hide her tears.

"You must believe this," Jim protested. "I kidnapped you because you cheated on your contract and I wasn't going to let you get away with it. But until you got on the boat I didn't know — I should have told you the truth the moment

Serialisation Story By

ALBERT DUFFY

Now Go on With the Story Chapter Six

Eliza began rehearsals for her appearance with the opera company after first stipulating that she would not work if Jim appeared at the theatre. In the evenings, in the company of attentive Argentine gentlemen, she visited Buenos Aires night spots.

happy as you've made me."

Later that night Jim aroused Pancho. "Get out the car," he said. "You're driving Miss Terry back to town."

Pancho looked at him sleepily.

"You're crazy!" he said. "Why, you brought her out here to —"

"It's no use, Pancho," Jim interrupted. "I'm all washed up. She hates me."

On the way back to town Eliza was humming with curiosity. "Why did Jim let me go?" she asked.

Pancho shrugged. "He's closing the ranch and going away. He didn't want to leave you here to starve. Pancho replied and then added with sarcasm, "Why, I don't know."

Eliza glared at him angrily.

"Thanks," she said. "Then she softened again. "Where's he going?"

"Some place where there are no prima donnas — I hope," Pancho retorted. "Without a word Eliza reached down and snapped off the ignition of the car."

"Hey!" Pancho cried, "what's the big idea?"

As the car pattered to a stop by the roadside Eliza turned to Pancho and smiled. "You and I are going to have a long talk," she announced.

Eliza's singing of "Butterfly" the next night was a triumph. Jim, hidden away in an obscure seat in the balcony, let out her eagerly and his pulse quickened at the thunderous ovation that greeted her when the opera was ended.

In the foyer he found Pancho waiting for him. "I'll drive you to the station," Pancho offered.



"I wonder if anyone in the world is as happy as we are!" (Poised by Melvyn Douglas and Grace Moore)

here soon." Jim strode from the cabin and walked down the hall to Eliza's suite. He opened the door after Eliza's "come in" and found her seated at the breakfast table. Eliza smiled sunnily. "Come in, Jimmie," she said. "You're just in time for breakfast."

Jim stared at her in bewilderment. "You — you — expected to see me?"

Eliza laughed. "Of course. I even kept your coffee hot. Do sit down."

Jim threw up his hands and sat down. "I give up," he said. "Who told you?"

"You did, darling. I suppose I shouldn't have teased you but I wanted to be kidnapped. You see, it's the first romance I've ever had and I want it to last. Jim," she cooed and came around the table to him. "I — I don't know what to say," Jim replied.

Eliza put her arm around his shoulder. "Then I'll say it for you," she said, and leaning down, she kissed him. Jim jumped from his chair, surprised and confused.

"I — I think you'd better dream," he said. "I'll meet you on deck in fifteen minutes." On deck, waiting for Eliza, Jim puffed nervously on a cigarette. This was more than he had bargained for. There was no mistaking that Eliza was in love with him and he — well, he couldn't be sure just what his own emotions were. One thing was certain though, he was heartily ashamed that he had tricked her. It was too late to do anything about that, however. He must play the hand to the end.

The following days on shipboard were idyllic — days of sunshine and gaiety and nights of moonlight and soft breezes. Jim soon clasped his emotions. He was deeply, sincerely in love with Eliza. One night they were sitting in deck chairs, listening to the soft strains of music from the ballroom and watching the moonbeams dance lazily on the water. Eliza sighed blissfully.

"Jim," she said, "I wonder if anyone in the world there are two people as happy as we are?"

A page boy came to them and bowed to Eliza. "Radiogram for you,

we mailed."

Eliza glared at him. "Or at least after I'd made you mine," she said with biting sarcasm. "That would have been a good time for the truth."

"There's a law suit waiting for you," Jim said.

"Do you think that will make me mind?" Jim asked.

"I'd rather lose every cent I ever had — I'd rather never sing again!" You taught me the meaning of freedom. You showed me how to fight for it. I suppose I should be grateful to you for that — because I've got to fight now — fight to get back my self respect!" Eliza ran down the deck to her stateroom and disappeared.

As the boat came into the harbor at Buenos Aires an Argentine official came aboard and sought out Eliza. When he found her, waiting to disembark, he bowed and handed her an official-looking paper. "Miss Terry," he said, "I am forced to serve you with these papers."

Before Eliza could take the papers from the hand of the official, "I'll take care of this," he said. "Jim Guthrie of the Opera Association."

"Jim Guthrie?" Eliza asked, looking at the official. "I'm afraid I'm in love with you."

"Do you expect me to believe that?" Eliza demanded.

"Of course not. That's why I brought you here — to prove it."

"How?" Eliza asked defiantly.

"By keeping you here until after the opening tomorrow night. Your failure to appear will not only lose me money — I'll lose my friends and the respect of this community which has come to be my home. Yet, oddly enough, that doesn't matter to me any more. All that matters is that you believe me."

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Eliza looked at her coolly. "Cancel it," she said. "I'm sailing after the opening of the opera — not before."

Madella stared at her incredulously. "You're going to sing?" she asked.

Eliza answered in a voice that carried to Jim who was standing nearby. "Yes," she said. "I'm asking to my contract. I've learned one lesson on that boat. If there's one thing I hate in this world — it's a cheat!"



"Eliza, I'm afraid I'm in love with you." (Poised by Grace Moore and Melvyn Douglas)

One evening, complaining of a headache, she left her suite and started home with one of her escorts. After they had driven for about fifteen minutes Eliza looked out the car window and saw that they had left the city and were driving into the country.

"Take me back to my hotel immediately," she ordered. "You can't do this to me!"

Her escort smiled. "But I have already done it, Eliza," he said. "Be assured, you will not be harmed."

They drove on until they came to a low, rambling hacienda. Eliza was escorted into a charmingly furnished den or living room off the patio. The door was closed and looked almost at once the soft strains of a guitar came floating through an open window. Eliza looked out and discovered Jim, smilingly strumming a romantic tune.

Eliza was furious. "You!" she cried. "Why have you done this to me?"

Jim grinned at her. "You'll be amazed when I tell you," he said. "Eliza, would you believe it? I'm afraid I'm in love with you."

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Jim shook his head. "I'll take a note to her dressing room." He handed Pancho an envelope, shook his hand and started for the door. Pancho mollied to two men who had been loitering nearby.

As Jim stepped into the cab the two men jumped in after him.

"Hey! What's the big idea?" Jim demanded.

One of the men pressed a revolver against Jim's side. "Keep quiet," he ordered, then he turned to the taxi driver. "Drive on!" he said.

As they drove away the men bound Jim's hands and blindfolded him. The car drove through the night for almost an hour and, at last, came to a sudden stop.

After an hour Jim, from the back of the car, pushed his way into the house. One of the men quickly untied Jim's hands and then ran out of the room, closing the door behind him. Jim tore off his blindfold and stared unbelievably at him. He was in his own house! In the very room where he had held Eliza prisoner the day before.

Suddenly the soft strains of a guitar floated through the window. Jim looked out and saw Eliza sitting there, a gaucho's hat on her head and a sarape over her shoulder. As Jim watched her she walked slowly to the door, opened it and came into the room.

She dropped the guitar as Jim rushed to her and took her in his arms. A diffident cough from the window interrupted their kiss.

It was Pancho. He smiled happily and handed a bottle of champagne and glasses through the window to Jim.

"This is on the house," he said.

THE END.

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Dominions Have Room For Refugees

Nations Collaborate At Evian

At today's meeting of the Refugee Conference, which is seeking homes for thousands of outcasts from their native lands, the Australian delegate dwelt on the difficulties of immigration to Australia.

The Australian Government, however, realising the unhappy plight of German and Austrian Jews, has included them on a pro rata basis comparable with that of any other country.

The Canadian representative alluded to the difficulties of receiving considerable numbers of refugees, though Canada was ready to collaborate in the efforts of the Committee. He urged that countries sending refugees to Canada should contribute to the cost of their transfer, and also suggested collaboration with the League of Nations organization.

The Brazilian delegate said that Brazil had an open door for agriculturists, although they would have to give an undertaking that they would not quit their occupation for four years.

The Belgian delegate spoke of the number of German and other refugees received by Belgium. The Netherlands delegate declared that Holland had already admitted 24,000 German refugees, and suggested that the Netherlands should be regarded as a transmigration country.

The Argentine delegate pointed out that Argentina already had the largest immigrant population of any nation, and declared that the Argentine declined to receive immigrants who objected to being assimilated with Argentine nationals.—*Reuter*.

CONFERENCE ADJOURNS

The Refugee Conference has adjourned until 10 a.m. on Saturday. Professor Heinrich Neumann, the famous Vienna ear specialist, has arrived here at the head of a delegation from the Jewish community of Vienna, with an appeal to the Conference to facilitate the emigration of Jews from Austria.

Professor Neumann told *Reuter* that the delegation had gone to Evian purely in a private capacity, but with the approval of the Vienna authorities, which promised to assist the emigration of Jews from Austria. A similar delegation has arrived from Berlin, according to the Jewish Telegraph Agency.

A World Jewish Congress delegation is also here and, in a statement issued to-day, expressed appreciation of the British and American delegations' view that Germany and other emigrating countries should permit refugees to take out their capital.

Dr. Chaim Weizmann, on behalf of the World Zionist organization, submitted a memorandum to the Conference, drawing attention to the possibilities of Palestine settlement as a solution of the Jewish problem.—*Reuter*.

MAKING ROOM

London, July 7. Asked if he would consider the possibility of finding room for additional German refugees by cancelling the permission of German non-

BRITAIN UNCERTAIN OF ATTITUDE IN BOMBING QUARREL

London, July 7.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain stated in the House of Commons that he was as yet unable to make a full statement regarding the insurgent reply to the British Note on the bombing of British ships.

The British Government had found it necessary to ask the Burgos authorities to explain the exact meaning of their disclaimer of their intentions of deliberately attacking British ships, said Mr. Chamberlain.

The British Government has frequently expressed the view that the deliberate bombing and sinking of merchantmen is never admitted by International Law, still less the machine-gunning of their bridges and decks (*Cheers*).

The Government would give most sympathetic consideration to the practical proposals which the Burgos authorities intimated they would make for the purpose of humanising warfare, the Prime Minister went on.

Referring to the Burgos proposal for the establishment of a "safe" port at Almeria, preliminary examination had revealed difficulties, such as deficiencies in such a plan for discharging vessels, lack of communication with the rest of Spain, and other factors.

The British Government was at present considering the views of British shipping interests on the matter.

Replying to Mr. Clement Attlee, the leader of the Opposition, Mr. Chamberlain said that consideration must be borne in mind whether, by the establishment of a special port, the right to bomb other areas would be admitted by the British Government.

Meanwhile, Sir Robert Hodgson, the British Agent in Burgos, is remaining in London for the present.—*Reuter*.

BOY FATALLY HURT

A five-year-old boy named Ho Kee was fatally injured when he fell from the deck of a cargo boat, No. 2659B, while it was alongside the Proteus at No. 4 buoy yesterday.

Refugees who remain in Great Britain, the Home Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, said that the occasion for such action would only arise if there were, in Britain, a number of German subjects who could be required to leave without undue hardship to themselves or disadvantage to Britain.

That was not so, said the Home Secretary. Apart from those who had been settled in Britain for many years, many with British-born wives and British-born children, a large proportion of those admitted to Britain were either refugees or persons admitted for special purposes, such as technicians who leave the country when they have fulfilled their mission.—*British Wireless*.

GUERRILLAS ATTACK TAIYUAN

Sian, July 8.

Confusion reigned in Taiyuan city on July 2 when a strong Chinese guerrilla force suddenly made its appearance in the eastern and southern outskirts.

Taken by complete surprise, the Japanese garrison there suffered many casualties and lost a large quantity of ammunition.

The city gates were closed whilst fighting was going on in the suburbs. The guerrillas retired upon the arrival of a large number of Japanese reinforcements.—*Central News*.

PLEDGES AID TO CHINA

Hankow, July 8.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek yesterday received a cable from the International Peace Campaign, signed by Lord Cecil, pledging assistance to China.

Another cable from the French branch of the International Peace Campaign expressed "profound admiration for Chinese solidarity and sacrifices."

Mr. Lin Sen, the President of China, received a cable of sympathy from the Friends of China Association in Paris.—*Reuter*.

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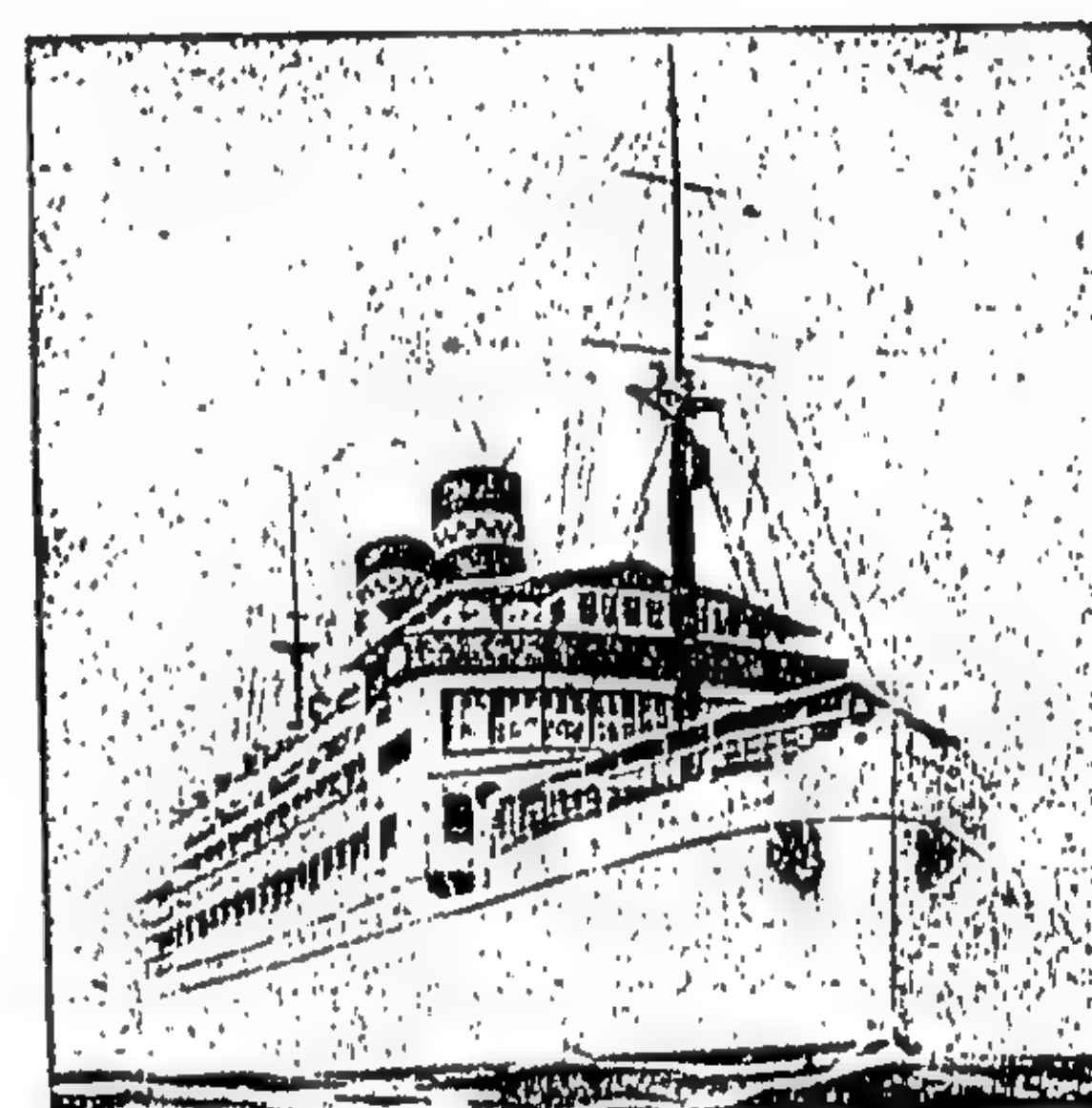
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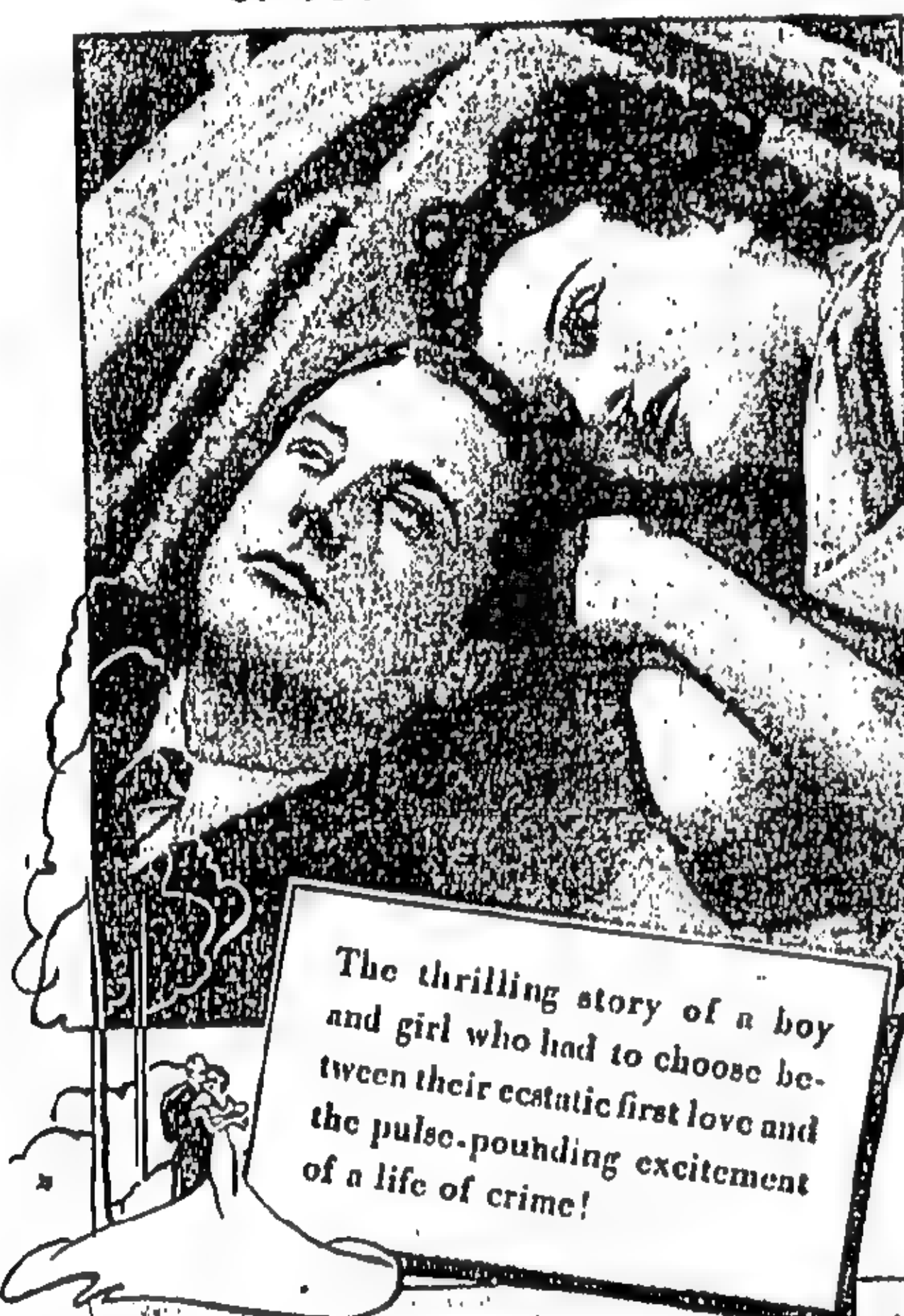
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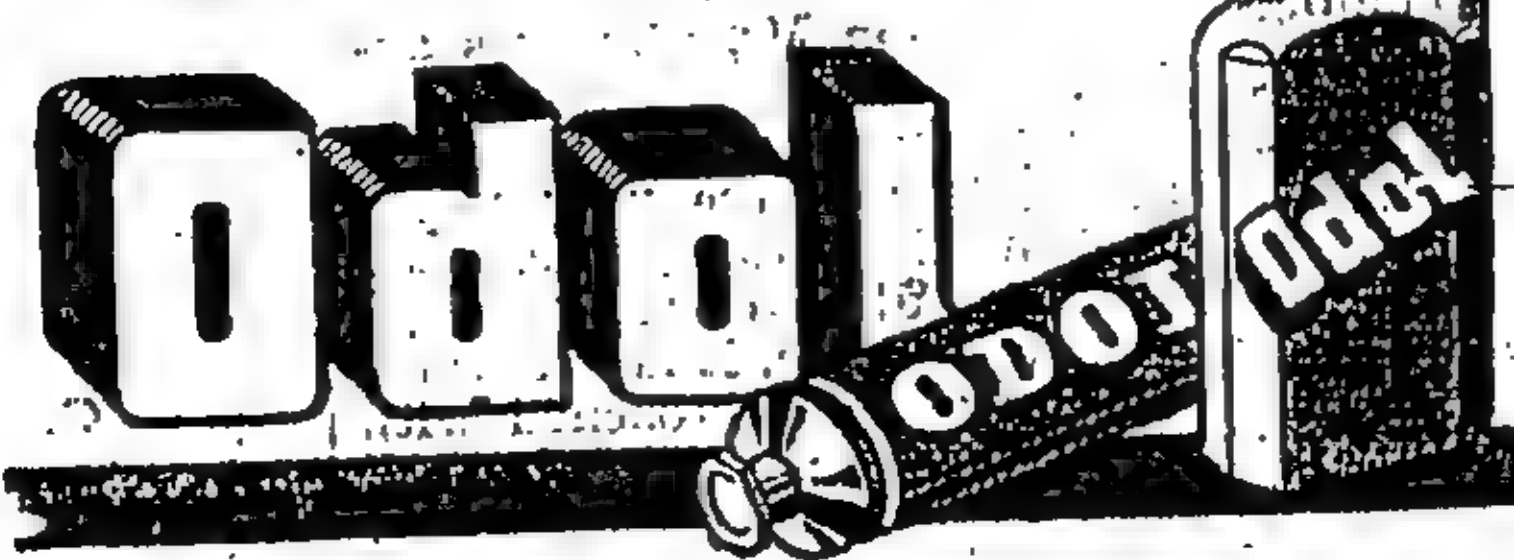


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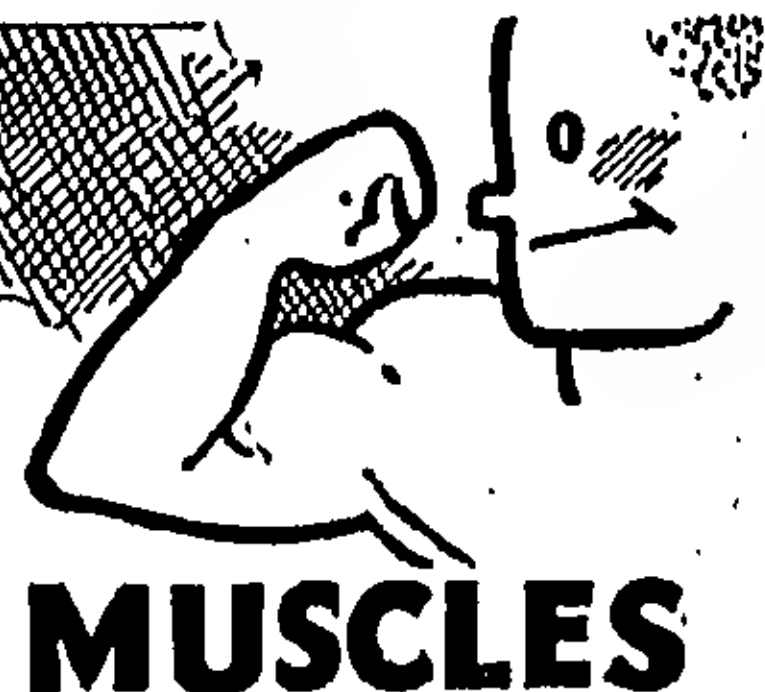
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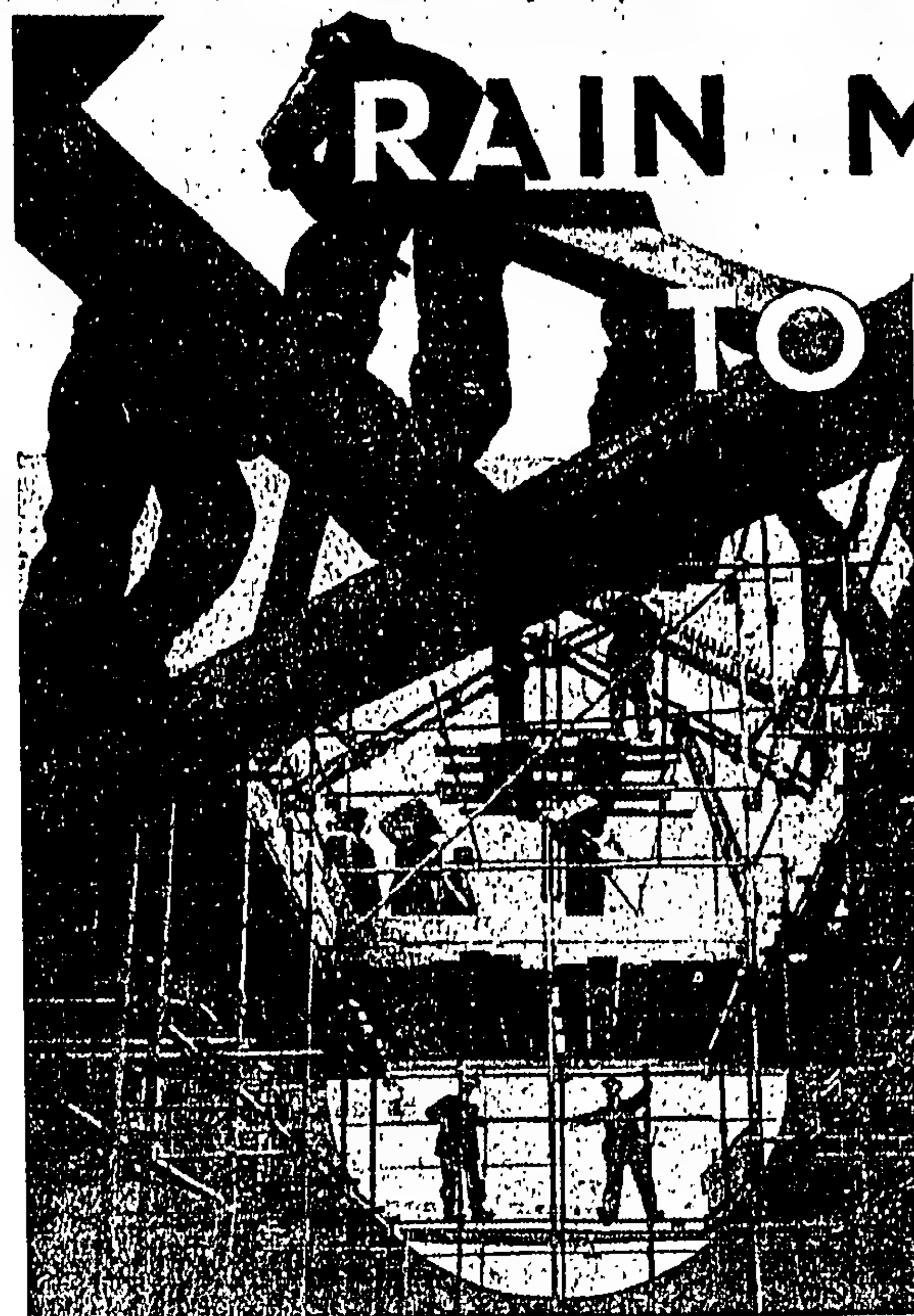
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to the Paracels to guard the
meteorological station and other
equipment there, and the men
who are in charge. But such
action by Japan presupposes an
intention on her part to make
some sort of display in Hainan
as a reprisal; and it would seem
very senseless, for the French
are vitally interested in the pre-
servation of Hainan's freedom
from Japanese domination, and
in that have the backing of
Great Britain. The situation in
China is too critical to allow
Japan to get herself involved
elsewhere. Therefore, reports
of a Japanese concentration in
Hainan waters, and French
moves to counteract any possi-
ble menace, should be accepted
only with the reservation that
the Chinese sources whence
these stories come may have
been misled. On the other hand
there is no use blindly refusing
to believe that difficulties may
develop in this sphere. It has
long been suspected that Japan
covets Hainan, and the French at
Kwongchow and the British at
Hongkong and at Singa-
pore have apparently felt some
concern lest the expanding
power of Tokyo should plant the
flag of the Rising Sun on Hai-
nan soil. Not that France or
Britain wants the island. They
simply want to see it in safe
hands. It is conceivable, then,
that France might take steps to
prevent its occupation, particu-
larly with British support, and
the report of French planes
massing at Kwongchow and
French warships patrolling be-
tween that Colony and the
Paracels therefore cannot be
dismissed as mere fiction.

There are signs, too, that
Britain does not intend to allow

RAIN MEANS RUIN
TO THESE MEN

Practically unknown to the general public, half
a million building workers in England are now vot-
ing on a scheme to end the misery of wages lost
through bad weather.

The scheme has already been agreed between
the employers and the union leaders. The men are
giving their view through a national ballot, but the
issue is not in doubt.

Below, Mr. GEORGE HICKS, M.P., President
of the National Federation of Building Trades
Operatives, explains the scheme.

"By contributions. Towards the National Federation of
the fund the employers will con- Building Trades Operatives."

Mr. Hicks added that workers
would not be able to draw lost
time benefit and unemployment
insurance benefit at the same
time.

His other points must be sum-
marised for lack of space.



THE scheme is to be
operated by a Joint
Board composed of an equal num-
ber of employers' and operatives'
representatives. There will be
no Government representative.
It will start 12 months after the
scheme's inception to allow time
for the Fund to accumulate.

Let me end this interview
with Mr. Hicks calling all build-
ing workers. Here he is.

"I regard this scheme as the
greatest proposal for reform
ever made in the building in-
dustry. To many an old brick-
layer or labourer the very idea
of being paid 50 per cent. lost
time will seem like an inspira-
tion from on high. The scheme
will be, in my opinion, the first
big step in the direction of per-
manency of employment in the
building industry. It will pro-
vide us with the basis for de-
casualising the industry and
moving towards the guaranteed
week."

Good luck, Mr. Hicks!

REDUCTION OF
SUGAR QUOTA
NOT DISCUSSED

London, July 7.

The International Sugar Council,
which met in London on Tuesday
to consider the working of the
Agreement, and to hold preliminary
discussions regarding its policy
for the second sugar quota year,
which opens on September 1, is now con-
sidering the estimate of market re-
quirements made by its statistical
committee.

Figures have not yet been publish-
ed, but a meeting of the Council in
May estimated that the market re-
quirements would be 3,050,000
metric tons, compared with the
estimate of 3,250,000 metric tons
made on March 26.

It is understood that the question
of a further reduction of the quota
has not yet been discussed.—Reuter.

RADIO DIFFUSION
SCHEME STILL
A POSSIBILITY

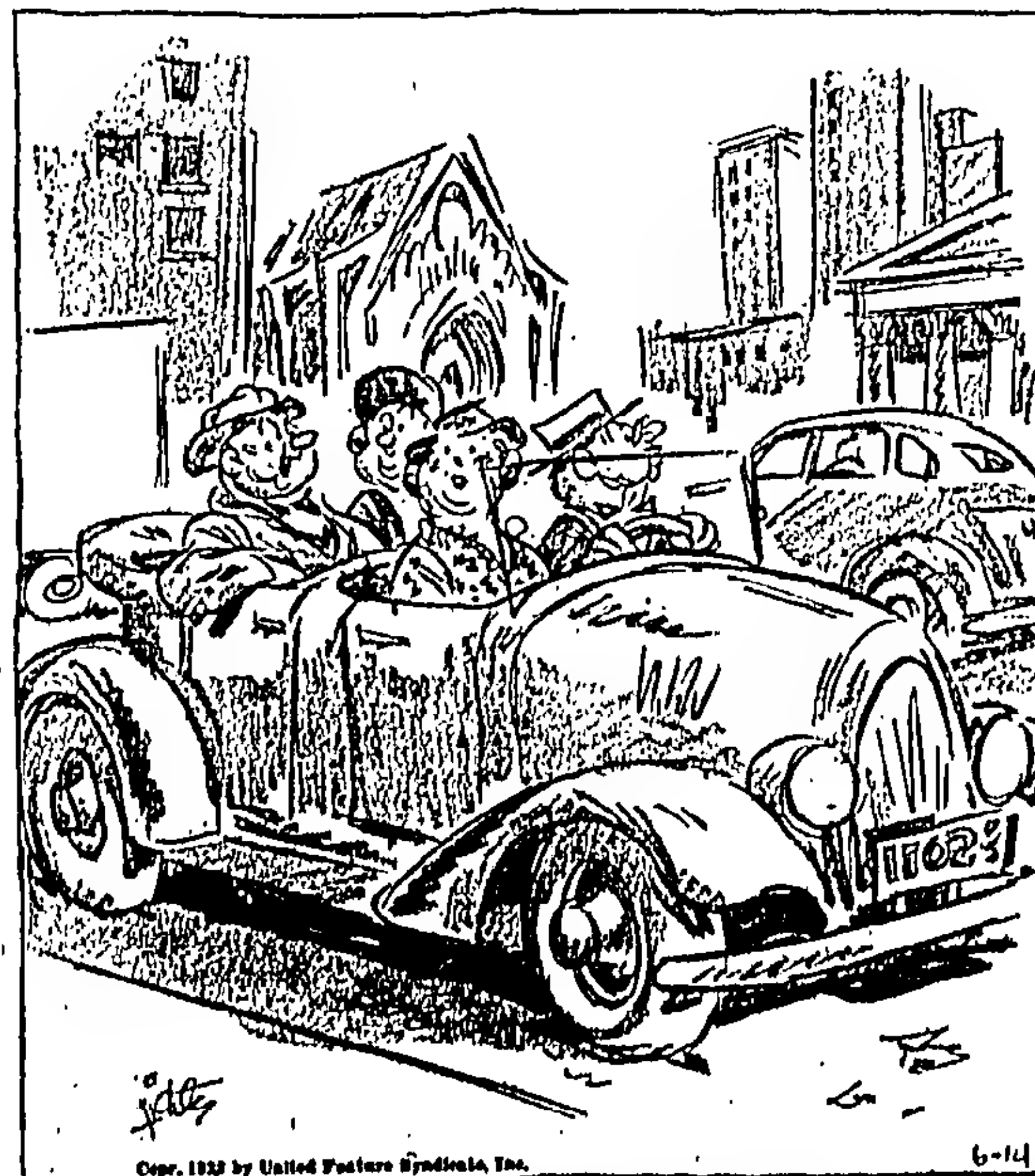
That Government may introduce a
Radio Diffusion system—a form of
wired wireless by which radio broad-
casts are received by telephone or
power circuits—is indicated by the
fact that the sum of \$5,000 is still
included in the estimates for the
purchase of the necessary equipment.

The vote was originally included
in the 1937 estimate, but in the Draft
Appropriation Account, tabled in
Legislative Council this afternoon,
the statement is made that the
amount is being held in abeyance
pending Government's final decision
on the scheme.

The vote for \$5,000 has, however,
been reduced to \$4,772 by an unex-
plained expenditure last year in
connection with the scheme.

It is recalled that a Radio Diffu-
sion scheme was introduced to
Hongkong by the Telephone Com-
pany three years ago, but remained
in existence only a few months,
owing to lack of support from the
public.

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"You'd never see the sights in Hongkong if we didn't visit you and show you around!"

Chinese Estimate 1,355 Japanese Planes Lost

MANY SHOT DOWN IN AIR COMBAT

Chinese Now Admit Hukow Captured

Hankow, July 8.

No fewer than 570 Japanese war planes have been destroyed by the Chinese air force and anti-aircraft batteries during one year of hostilities, declared Colonel Mao Pang-chu, Chief of Aerial Operations in the Chinese Air Force today.

Colonel Mao added: "A total of 243 Japanese aircraft have actually been shot down in combat in the air and 138 have been destroyed on the ground by Chinese bombing operations. Chinese anti-aircraft batteries have shot down 163. The remaining 26 shot down have not been located."

"The aircraft destroyed include 64 heavy bombers, 90 light bombers, 54 pursuit planes, 13 scouting planes, 19 seaplanes and 320 unidentified."

"The losses due to accident probably totalled 785 machines, thus bringing the number of Japanese aircraft lost during the year to the vast total of 1,355. The number of officers in the Japanese air force to lose their lives during the first year of war probably totals 1,100."—*Reuter Special.*

Admit Hukow's Capture

Hankow, July 8. The Central Government authorities now admit the loss of Hukow, which was occupied by the Japanese on Tuesday morning.—*United Press.*

Details of Attack

Hankow, July 8. When the Japanese troops landed at Hukow on Tuesday, Chinese reports state, another column of troops simultaneously advanced on the South bank of the Yangtze River, reaching a point about eight miles east of Hukow.

The Japanese succeeded in penetrating the Chinese positions, it is admitted.

Chinese Counter-Attack

Nanchang, July 8. Chinese troops are counter-attacking the Japanese in the Hukow area with favourable results. It is now ascertained that the Japanese broke through the Chinese artillery positions there in the afternoon of July 5.

Lungtanshan, a hill commanding a strategic position about ten kilometres east of Hukow, was recaptured by the Chinese yesterday morning. About 2,000 Japanese were killed in this engagement.

Following the recapture of this height, the retreat of the Japanese in the Hukow area has been cut.

Several villages in the vicinity, including Changsun, Tsintun, and Totsun, were also recaptured. Japanese troops rushed from Matang to reinforce their comrades in the Hukow area but were beaten back.—*Central News.*

NEW TYPE OF FORD

Washington, July 7. The U.S. Patent Office has granted Henry Ford a patent for a new type of motor-car, which will have the famous V-8 Ford engine in the rear instead of in the front of the vehicle.—*United Press.*

AMERICAN MARINES DRIVE OUT JAPANESE

Gendarmes Evicted From Shanghai Patrol Area

Shanghai, July 8. U.S. Marines evicted two lorries filled with Japanese gendarmes, including plainclothes men, when they attempted to search a Chinese in the American sector this morning.

The lorries were escorted across the Yu Ya Ching Road boundary, where the Japanese parked for half-an-hour, apparently undecided as to what to do. Afterwards the lorries returned to Hongkow.

Several bridges across Soochow Creek have been re-opened, but the American defence sector is still closed.—*United Press.*

Not Wanted In Japan

Young Irishman In Custody Two Weeks

Mr. Frederick "Pat" O'Hara, the young Irishman who aroused the suspicions of the Japanese Government to such an extent that he was requested to leave the country, arrived in Hongkong this morning on the Ranzhi on his way back to England.

Mr. O'Hara would not comment on his experiences in Japan and merely said, "I'm afraid I have nothing to say."

Mr. O'Hara was the resident secretary in Japan of the Liverpool and London Globe Insurance Company. By filming scenery in the fortified zone in the vicinity of Yokohama Mr. O'Hara violated the law and was fined. Before being fined, however, he was held in custody for two weeks on a charge of violating the Military and Naval Secrets Protection Law, and his correspondence, road maps, films and photographic apparatus were seized.

Following his conviction and fine Mr. O'Hara was notified his presence in Japan was undesirable and he is now on his way back to England.

Skirmishes Near Peiping

Railway Cut North Of Lukouchiao

Peiping, July 7. The anniversary of the Lukouchiao incident passed quietly in Peiping, the only local disturbance being the cutting of the Peiping-Mentoukou Railway near Sanchiaien, eight miles north of Lukouchiao, by Chinese guerrillas.

There were a few isolated skirmishes between guerrillas and Japanese in the vicinity of Peiping. Japanese gendarmes and Chinese police cleared the streets of Peiping at 7.30 a.m. when General Terauchi, his Staff, Japanese Embassy officials and a delegation of Provisional Government officials drove to the forbidden city of Taimiao, where a special ceremony in memory of Japan's war dead was held.

Japanese shops in Peiping were all closed, the entire Japanese population participating in various meetings throughout the city.

Japanese reservists marched to Lukouchiao, where a small monument marking the actual spot of the "incident" was unveiled.—*United Press.*

Czechs' Big Problem Not Yet Settled

Prague, July 7. Dr. Milan Hodza and the 'Studenten-German' representatives to-day resumed negotiations, suspended during the Sokol festivities, concerning the drafting of a Nationalities Statute.

Efforts are being made to reach a compromise on eight points submitted by Herr Konrad Henlein, the Sudeten leader, but it is doubtful whether the draft will be ready for submission to the Parliamentary Committee at the end of this week, as was hoped.—*Reuter.*

THREE MONTHS HARD LABOUR

Three months' hard labour was imposed on Cheung Yin-nan, 19, unemployed, by Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith at the Central Magistracy this morning for the theft of an earring from No. 826, 47, married woman, at Des Voeux Road Central, yesterday.

FRANCO TO STAND ALONE

Won't Tolerate Domination By Foreign Power

London, July 8. General Franco has definitely assured Great Britain that he will not tolerate foreign intervention or domination in Spain in the event of an insurgent victory.

It is stated in unimpeachable quarters that this assurance has been conveyed to Mr. Neville Chamberlain by the British Agent in Burgos, Sir Robert Hodson, and it is believed that Sir Robert assured the Prime Minister that the majority of General Franco's followers supported these sentiments.—*Reuter.*

Yelling Baby Aids Mother To Escape

There were over a dozen European policemen and about two score Chinese at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning—all specialists in crime. Yet a young woman prisoner, accused of being in possession of a stolen car and a half of illicit spirits, walked out of the building and escaped without trouble.

Her discontented and extremely vociferous baby was responsible. While she was standing next to the prisoners' dock, (women with babies are not put inside) waiting for her case to be brought up, the child she was carrying in her arms suddenly began to cry. The cries grew louder and became shrieks—shrieks which upset the dignity of the court and interfered with the progress of justice. Nothing could quiet the baby, and eventually the woman, who was thought to be on bail, was sent out of court and told to wait outside.

Still the frenzied shrieks could be heard, and the woman was harried from one place to another. Finally she was chased downstairs, and on seeing the exit in front of her, she decided it would be best if she left. She has not yet been traced.

EXCLUSION SCHEME PROPOSED

Ottawa, July 7. The National Conservative Convention here passed a resolution recommending that the Canadian Government take effective steps to exclude further immigration from the Orient to Canada and suggesting a scheme for selected immigration of families from Britain, Ireland and France.—*Reuter.*

REMARQUE NO LONGER GERMAN

Berlin, July 7. Herr Erich Remarque, the famous author of "All Quiet on the Western Front," has been deprived of German citizenship.

His name was included in a list of 21 Germans deprived of citizenship rights, published in the official Reich Gazette this morning.

Remarque, who appears in the list as Erich Paul Remarque, gained fame in 1928 when his war book was published and almost immediately translated into practically every language.

Remarque is now living in Ronco in Switzerland, where he owns an estate.—*Trans-Ocean.*

ADVANCES ON EXCHANGE

London, July 7. On the Stock Exchange to-day gilt-edged bonds, again led the market.

Industrials made a good showing and Kaffirs advanced despite some late irregularity.

Oils were firm. Internationals were irregular early but improved after the Wall Street opening.

On the Foreign Exchange American dollars were firmer, partly as a result of purchases of American stocks, partly due to buying based on rumours that the dollar may be stabilised at the old parity.

On the Commodity Market, cotton was higher, following New York rates.—*Reuter Special.*

SUEZ CANAL STRIKE NOT STOPPING SHIPS

Port Said, July 7. The strike of workshop employees of the Suez Canal Company continued to-day. General workings and transits of the canal are not affected by the strike and so far there have been no incidents.—*Reuter.*

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8.25 London Relay—The Third Cricket Test Match—England v. Australia.

A commentary on the opening overs of the match by Howard Marshall from Old Trafford, Manchester.

6.40 Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

"Martha"—Selection (Flotow).

"The Aradians"—Selection (Monckton). Policeman's Holiday—One-Step (Ewing).

7.0 Light Vocal Variety.

Honeysuckle And The Bee (Kappa—Fitz); If You Want To Know The Time Ask A Policeman (Burando—Rogers); Sweet Genevieve (Tuckett); At Trinity Church (Gilbert); Light Open Male Chorus; The Three Ravens (Arr. Kennedy Scott); The Bontmen (Harris); John Goss (Baritone) and the Cathedral Male Voice Quartet; Wonderful To Be In Love (From "Des Hofkonzert"); Do You Ever Remember? (Valse Triste—From "Des Hofkonzert"); Maria Esgerth (Soprano) with Orchestra; Little Annie Rooney (M. Nolan); Daddy Wouldn't Buy Me A Bow-Wow (J. Tabarr); The Maestros (Vocal Quintette) with Piano.

7.28 Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.28 Schumann—Concerto In A Minor, Op. 54.

Played by Alfred Cortot (Piano) and The London Philharmonic Orch. conducted by Sir London Ronald.

8.0 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 Albert Sandler's Orchestra. Prelude (Haydn Wood); For Love Of You (From the Film); The Fairies Gavotte (R. Kohn); Rosa Mia (Guizar, Fisher and Potter); Song Of The Nightingale (Hudson and Albout); The Second Serenade (Jonny Heykens).

8.20 London Relay—The Third Cricket Test Match—England v. Australia.

A commentary on the closing overs before lunch and a summary of the morning's play by Howard Marshall from Old Trafford, Manchester.

8.35 London Relay—The Open Golf Championship.

Account of the morning's play by Bernard Darwin from the Royal St. George's Golf Club, Sandwich.

8.45 Studio—A concert by Sitson Ma (Violin) and Professor Harry Ore (Piano).

1. (a) Tango (Albeniz—Elman); (b) Havanaise (Saint-Saens) by Sitson Ma. 2. (a) Variations in F (Mozart); (b) Polonaise in A Flat (Chopin) ... Professor Harry Ore. 3. Rondo (Sitson Ma) ... Sitson Ma.

9.15 London Relay—Third Cricket Test Match—England v. Australia.

A commentary by Howard Marshall from Old Trafford, Manchester.

9.30 London Relay—The News.

9.50 Latest Dance Records. Fox-Trots—Don't Ever Change (From "Rhythm in the Clouds"); You're A Sweetheart (From the Film); Roy Fox and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Hawaiian Hospitality (From "Rhythm in the Clouds"); Ronnie Munro and His Orchestra with vocal refrain.

10.0 London Relay—"Music-Hall." Including: Vic Oliver, England's Favourite American Comedian Bennett and Williams; Two Jovial Boys with their Flonco-Fiddlers; Lily Morris Comedienne with The B.B.C. Variety Orchestra—Conductor, Charles Shadwell, Presented by John Sharman.

11.0 Close Down.

COLONY COOLER

Hongkong was a little cooler yesterday, the maximum temperature being 88 degrees, and the minimum last night, 70. At 10 o'clock this morning the temperature was 85 and humidity was 78 per cent.

Again only a fraction of an inch of rain fell over 24 hours, the total for the year being 20.74 inches as compared with an average of 41.57 inches.

The Royal Observatory weather report, issued this morning, stated that a weak anti-cyclone area extends from Formosa to the Bonin Islands. The depression in the China Sea has deepened; it is situated about 150 miles to the east of Tournant, moving north-west.

Local forecast is:—South-east winds, moderate to fresh; cloudy, showery.

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BUSSON, BURTON & COX LEAD GOLF FIELD

37 Qualify For The Final Stages Of British Open

BREWS SETS A NEW COURSE RECORD

Brilliant 68 Is Hit By Cyril Tolley

THE DETAILED SCORES

Sandwich, July 7.

Only 37 competitors out of 120 qualified for the final stages of the British open golf championship here to-day. The qualifying score was 148 for 36 holes, and among prominent players who failed to return this, or a better score, were James Bruen, the 17 year-old Walker Cupper, Eddie Whitcombe, who was one of the leaders in the early qualifying rounds, Arthur Havers and James Braid.

J. J. Busson, Richard Burton of Sale and W. Cox led the field at the close of to-day's play, each returning an aggregate of 140 for the two rounds.

Cotton's score was not included in the early returns.

Records were beaten and equalled during the day. Brews, in shooting a 70 to aggregate 146, did the home-made nine holes in 33 strokes which is a record for the championship links.

Cyril Tolley, former British amateur champion and Walker Cup player had a 68 to total 145 and to equal the amateur record for the course.

The following were some of the day's scores:

QUALIFIERS	
J. J. Busson	71 and 69, 140
W. Cox	70 and 70, 140
R. Burton	71 and 69, 140
B. Gadd	71 and 70, 141
Adams	70 and 71, 141
French, West	72 and 71, 143
Surrey	70 and 74, 144
Dallemagne	72 and 72, 144
Black	73 and 72, 145
Alan Bailey	77 and 68, 145
C. Tolley	70 and 75, 145
Fallon	71 and 74, 145
A. Perry	74 and 72, 146
A. Padgham	74 and 72, 146
Shuckland	74 and 72, 146
Haydock	74 and 72, 146
Walt	74 and 72, 146
Charles Whitcombe	74 and 72, 146
Lacey	74 and 72, 146
Brews	76 and 70, 146
Pennink	74 and 72, 146
Halburton	72 and 75, 147
Sutton	74 and 73, 147
King	77 and 70, 147
Earnest Whitcombe	73 and 74, 147
Bullitt, Sonning	73 and 74, 147
Greenlagh, Prestwick	75 and 73, 148
Beck, Sherwood	76 and 72, 148
Forrest	76 and 72, 148
Balling, Balmoro	73 and 75, 148
Hastings	73 and 75, 148
Stopy, Sunningdale	77 and 71, 148

FAILED TO QUALIFY

Eddie Whitcombe	77 and 74, 151
J. Braid	78 and 75, 153
A. G. Havers	78 and 75, 153
J. Bruen	79 and 80, 159

TEST OUTLOOK IS GLOOMY

Lots Of Rain At Manchester Affect Wicket

Manchester, July 7. The outlook for the Third Test is gloomy. It has rained intermittently for several days and it rained all night long on Wednesday and again before the forenoon to-day.

These downpours prevented the English and Australian players from practising at the nets.

The Old Trafford wicket is a natural wicket and has not been "doped" with mull for four years. It is therefore certain to be very soft. It is therefore certain to be very soft. It is therefore certain to be very soft.

The majority of the tickets have been sold, and the authorities hope that weather permitting, the crowd will be in the region of 40,000.—*Reuter.*

Rain Stops County Cricket Games

London, July 7. Rain affected several of the county cricket matches in England to-day, and prevented play in the following games:

Derbyshire v. Sussex	Close of play scores in the other matches were:
Glamorgan v. Kent	Northants 119 and 147, Lancashire 110 and 20 for 0
Hampshire v. Middlesex	Notts 452 for 9 declared against Leicestershire.
Warwickshire v. Sussex	— <i>Reuter Bulletin.</i>
Worcestershire v. Yorkshire	

Dear Tommy Farr—

I SHALL be at Southampton, meet and greet you, and to hear from your own lips an explanation of your surprising defeats at the hands of the two boxing veterans, Jim Braddock and Max Baer.

Those shocks have surely shaken your confidence. They did mine.

People—you know what gossip means—are saying that you are back here for a few weeks because neither America's fight dictator, "Uncle Mike" Jacobs, nor its hard-boiled fight-loving public, is now interested in your future!

Three fights and three defeats don't help badly—hoo. You know this as well as I do. Neither in America nor Britain.

I know there were doubts about the correctness of the official decision when you were declared the loser against 33-year-old Braddock.

As you know, Jim was pugilism's "Cinderella Man" even when he was matched with fleshy Max Baer for the world heavyweight title three years ago.

Yet after the punishment Joe Louis inflicted upon "old man" Braddock before stopping him in eight rounds, I was confident you had the speed, stamina, ability—and Youth—to account for Steve-dore Jim.

I want to turn back a few leaves of the calendar. When I met you on the Queen Mary after you had temporarily paralysed American boxing writers by lasting 15 rounds with "Brown Bomber" Louis, you confided in me that you were sure of winning the world title.

It doesn't look that way now, Tommy, does it? Nothing less than a miracle will put you on the championship track again. What is the more puzzling to me was Baer's decisive victory.

YOU had made him appear a good "has been" with your convincing win over him in London during the April of 1937.

Yet in the ring at Madison Square Garden, New York, Baer did something that Louis failed to do—sent you crashing to the canvas, not once, but three times!

I'm not forgetting that he couldn't keep you down for the full count. None of your opponents has been able to do that.

Which reminds me: British boxing prestige—there is still some left—is justly proud that you showed those 100 per cent. American sports writers that you were not just another British horizontal heavyweight.

Yes, I am pleased you will be in Britain again. Mellowed, I feel sure, after the rebuffs and, not infrequently, adverse criticism that has greeted you in America. I believe that I know the real reason for your return. You are anxious to fight once more in London... the city that gave you your first big chance.

You want a return, I understand, with the burly German, Walter Neusel, whom you sensationally

AN OPEN LETTER

from James Butler



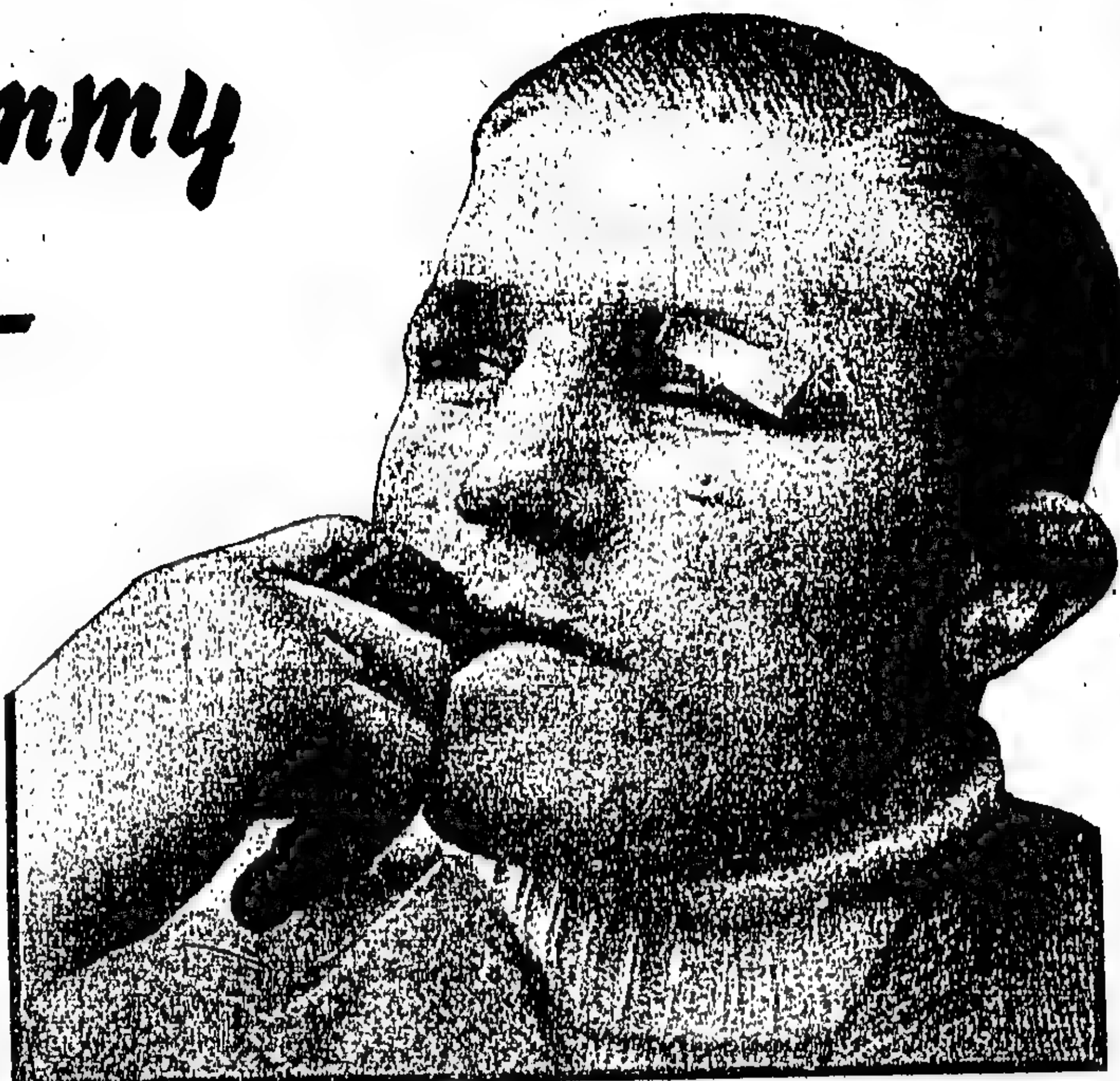
"Three fights and three defeats don't help..."

defeated in three rounds last June.

I don't know whether this match will make much of an appeal to the cash customers of the ring. For the actual result does not mean a thing.

Then there is another important situation that is sure to affect you. You will be asked to explain to those august legislators, the stewards of the British Boxing Board of Control, your personal ideas with regard to the defence of your two titles—the British and Empire crowns.

You will know as soon as you arrive—if you already haven't



the information—that Ben Foord, the South African whom you defeated for those two titles, is matched to oppose Eddie Phillips, in what is known as the final eliminating championship eliminator.

This does not sound very exciting or alluring, does it? For whoever is victor I must confess that I am not acquainted with any promoter at the moment who will offer several thousand pounds for the championship proper contest.

I may be wrong or misinformed, but I seriously doubt whether there is now lots of money in London for heavyweight matches. There was last year. You can give first-hand evidence confirming my statement.

That was before you sailed away to meet Joe Louis, after you had turned down an offer of some £5,000 and a few extras to meet the Nazi boxer, Schmeling, at the White City.

As I have written earlier in this letter, dear Tommy, three successive defeats in New York haven't increased your drawing powers at the box office: the only genuine register of any boxer's financial valuations.

Had you beaten either Braddock or Baer, it wouldn't have been too bad. You see, it is the general opinion—and public opinion is usually fairly correct—that you have dropped back into the place you occupied before you tackled Louis.

Still, I must admit that you are still the one drawing card in the British heavyweight division. I will go farther, and add that if you decide to have a fight in the immediate future, either in Cardiff or Swansea, the largest football grounds available would not be big enough to accommodate the thousands of your countrymen who still

have faith in your ability and who want to see you in the ring in your native Wales.

The purse money would not be fantastic. You have not to be told why. You yourself have known what it is to feel hungry in the Rhondda mining villages. Do you remember the many quiet talks we had in a small room in Fleet-street, when you longed for the nights when you might be fighting for a £100 purse!

DO you remember how you said that often your only meal before a fight in Wales was one kipper? Since then you have reached stardom—mainly through your dogged ways, and, shall I say it?—super-confidence.

You have tasted the luxury that is associated with a successful international boxer. And, I am assured, have saved a substantial fortune.

I am glad, and hope that you will have it behind you when the inevitable time arrives when you must destroy your fighting kit as being of no further use to you.

That time may not be so far off as you may dream at the moment. For unless new heavyweight talent is quickly discovered and developed, I can tell you that public interest in your class will evaporate.

There is no room in the sport for the veterans. That understanding individual, the Man in the Street, demands action, destructive punching, and Youthful Endeavour if he is to continue his patronage.

RECENT affairs between various heavyweights have not contributed to an increase in enthusiasm. You can reproduce that dynamic form you so brightly displayed when battling against Baer and Neusel, at Harringay, Joe Louis, in New York.

If you can do this, then there will be no need for you to return to America seeking matches or long-term for a fight with the winner of the Louis-Schmeling world championship battle.

You had better destroy this pipe dream, Tommy. Because if Louis retains his title—notwithstanding that the Nazi knocked him cold in twelve rounds on June 19, 1936—the American public will prefer Max Baer to you... for they have longer memories than we have.

BEFORE concluding, Tommy, I shall be interested with the inside story of your romance with Miss Eileen Wenzel, the £18,000 New York showgirl.

Will she really and truly, as the story books say, become Mrs. Thomas Farr and visit your old friends in Tonypandy—and elsewhere?

I nearly forgot... and have you forgotten your faithful trainer, Tom Evans?

Will be seeing you.

Yours fraternally,

Jimmy Butler

P.S.—How are you getting on with talkative Joe Gould, Braddock's manager—now yours?

BRADMAN IS IN REVOLT

Demands Removal Of "No Wives" Rule

THREATENS TO STOP PLAYING

London, July 7.

Don Bradman, illustrious Australian Test cricketer and captain of the present team now touring England, is in revolt.

According to a *Reuter Special* message, Bradman is at loggerheads with the Australian Cricket Board of Control, which refused his application to waive the rules to enable Mrs. Bradman to visit him in England.

The Test cricketers' contracts forbid players contact with their relatives during the tour.

It is understood that Bradman threatens to refuse to participate in future tours unless the "No Wives" rule is removed.

Neither Bradman, nor Mrs. Bradman will comment on the situation, but the Australian newspapers are giving headlines to the subject.



The *Sydney Sun*, dealing with the question, refers to "Our sporting dictators."

Islington Corinthians Count Cost

Lose £750 On World Football Tour

Islington Corinthians, who on the World's tour, travelled 35,000 miles to play ninety-five matches in China, Japan, Canada, India, Italy, Switzerland, Holland, Egypt, the Philippines and the U.S.A., have lost £750 on the trip.

At the seventeen amateur League team players won sixty-eight of the matches, lost only eight, and drew nineteen, they fully deserved the congratulations of the F.A. President, Mr. W. Dickson, when he met them at Southampton, and said "You have carried Association football round the world and we are proud of you."

As throughout the tour, the Islington Corinthians performed excellent missionary work, it is expected the F.A. will make grant towards the club's loss. One player, J. Sherwood, the top scorer, has now signed professional forms for Reading.

Thirteen of the others have returned to their usual work, but three, unfortunately, find themselves out of employment.

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League Tennis Results

Craigengower lost to Kowloon 3-6 in the "C" Division of the tennis league yesterday.

Zimmerman and A. R. H. Small lost to B. Soltan and R. S. Capell 1-6; beat W. M. Gittins and R. Broadbridge 6-3; lost to F. Broadbridge and A. Duncan 3-6.

G. Winch and H. P. Lim lost to Soltan and Capell 6-6; lost to Gittins and Broadbridge 6-6; beat Broadbridge and Duncan 6-3.

UNIVERSITY V. INDIANS

University lost to Indians 34-54.

P. C. Yu and Y. W. Ha beat A. M. Hum-

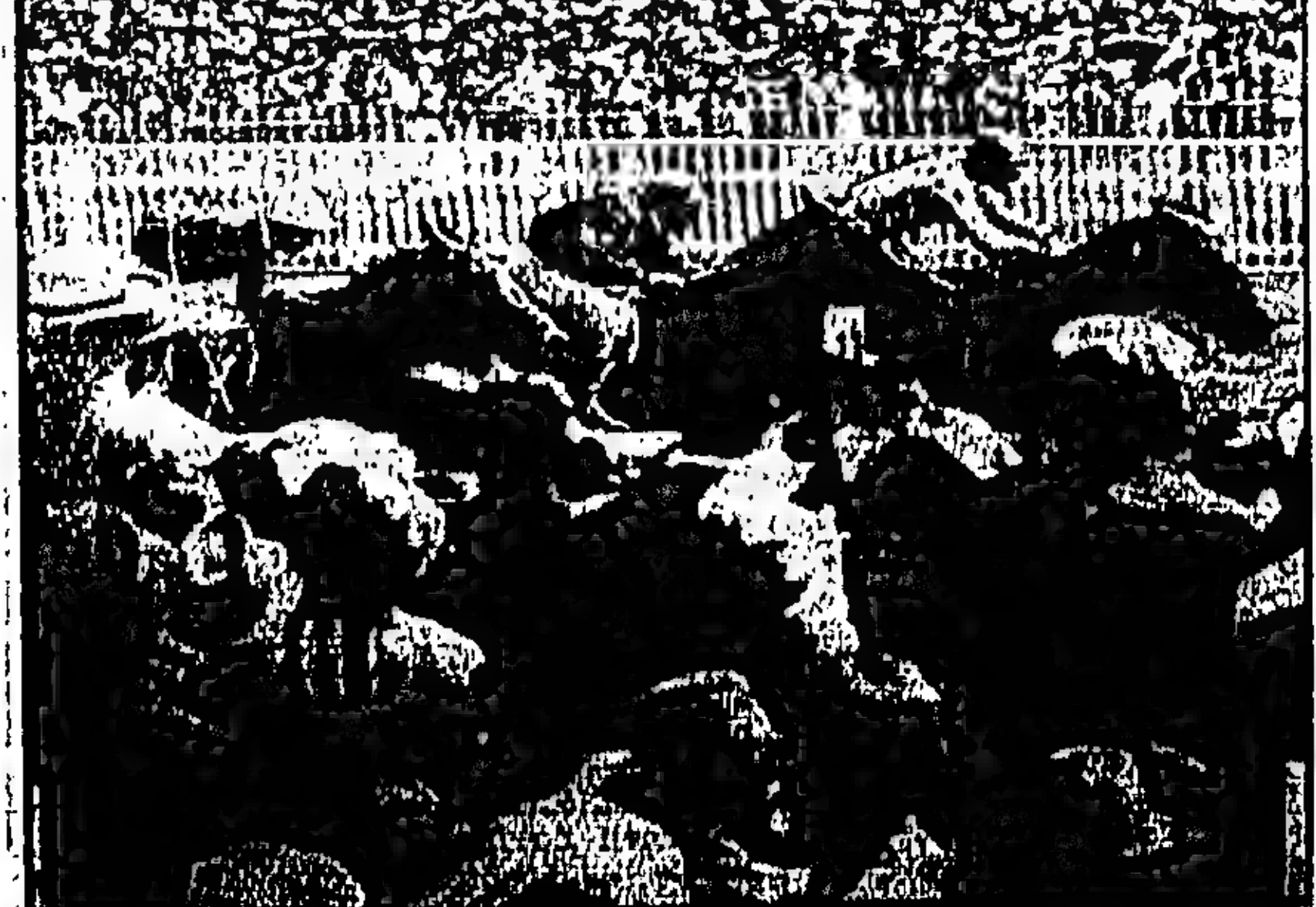
John and T. All 6-2; lost to M. Hassan and D. M. Razack 4-6; beat S. M. Rumjahn and T. Hamet 6-3.

H. T. Tang and T. S. Wang lost to A. M. Rumjahn and All 2-6; lost to Hassan and Razack 3-6; beat S. M. Rumjahn and Hamet 6-4.

Z. T. Lee and C. H. Soon drew with A. M. Rumjahn and All 6-6; lost to Hassan and Razack 2-6; lost to S. M. Rumjahn and Hamet 2-6.

B. Hung and W. L. Rapley drew with Soltan and Capell 6-6; drew with Gittins and Broadbridge 6-6; beat Broadbridge and Duncan 6-3.

FINISH for the Ascot Gold Cup, won by Flares, from Buckleigh and Senor.



GERMANY'S KEY INDUSTRIES ARE VULNERABLE FROM THE AIR



Baron Alexander von Falkenhausen, German military adviser to the Chinese army, ordered by Berlin to return home. Chinese officials are loath to release him and his aides from their contracts, which is pleasing to the Baron.

"NEUTRAL" STATES CANNOT ESCAPE ARMS RACE

Geneva.—The so-called "neutral" states that have so far managed to remain aloof from the arms race are warned, in the March issue of the *International Labour Review* published by the I.L.O., that it will be impossible for them to escape its aftermath. The warning is contained in the concluding article by British economist A. J. S. Baxter, on the economic effects of rearmament.

"The trend towards greater national self-sufficiency," he says, "and the greater riskiness of economic relations characteristic of a rearming world may suggest that, as international trade and capital movements become less important, 'neutral' countries that do not desire, or are not obliged, to enter the armaments race will escape the effects of it, and that if and when the boom collapses only the countries immediately concerned will suffer."

Baxter says that though there may be some evidence to support this view, it is doubtful whether even in the present restricted state of international trade and capital movements, national isolation from booms and slumps is very secure anywhere. "Pessimistic views about the economic future will pass national frontiers unchecked, to influence business men's decisions on both sides. More important, over-investment in any part of the world's economic system will cause the other parts to become adapted to it, so long as there is any international trade at all. It is easy to see for instance, that the American steel industry may be 'overbuilt' in consequence of orders connected directly or indirectly with European rearmament; but there may be less obvious cases of other industries whose increased exports to Europe set free resources there for armaments making. Thus expansions and contractions in all international trading countries are linked, whatever the exchange system, isolation from the international repercussions of rearmament or disarmament is an illusion."

ARMAMENTS TRUCE NEEDED

The chief danger ahead, Baxter thinks, is that of a top-heavy structure of production in which the distribution of the stream of real resources between the capital goods industries and the consumption goods industries will fail to correspond to the distribution of the stream of money income between saving and spending. Though in some cases readjustment may be indefinitely postponed, most countries will have to deal with the inevitable recession when it comes.

Baxter continues, "The most hopeful beginning and the most hopeful guarantee for the success of a recovery policy, anywhere would be an effective armaments truce or armaments convention containing economic clauses embodying international agreement." The agreement would aim at three main results: firstly, the liberation and expansion of international trade in order to facilitate the diversification of war plant to peace-time production; secondly, a plain statement of national policy by the principal economic countries; thirdly, an exchange of information between them.

"The alternatives," he concludes "to an armaments truce and some international economic understanding such as is here suggested are plain. Either rearmament will have its natural consequence in a world war precipitated perhaps by the economic breakdown of one of the competitors, or the burden of armaments expenditure will become so intolerable in the poorer countries as to produce widespread hardship with incalculable political consequences. It is certain that the economic problems that would be raised by a return to international common sense in this matter are not insoluble, given the very modest degree of co-operation which would be assured by an armaments truce itself.—United Press.

Big Problem In Military Preparations

The problem of how to protect from aerial bombardment one of the largest and most important of German factories, the Leuna Ammonia Works, covering four square miles, is being seriously studied by the authorities.

First erected in 1916 to produce synthetic nitrogen out of the air by the Haber-Bosch process, the Leuna Works have now expanded to one of the largest chemical plants in the world, using the resources of soft coal in the Saale River basin.

Like every chemical factory, the Leuna Works are a maze of open-air pipe-lines, distilleries and factory buildings quite impossible to camouflage. A primary reason for choosing in 1916 the present site of the factory was its distance from the frontier, writes the *Sunday Times* Berlin correspondent.

DEFENCE OF LEUNA
Now matters have changed. The Leuna Works can be reached by modern bombers from the Czechoslovakia border within twenty minutes. Since Leuna is the heart of Germany's newly created synthetic products industry, the problem of defending the works is an important chapter in Germany's military preparations.

Questioned on what plans had been made to defend the Leuna factories in case of war, the directors of the plants stated:

"All we can do is to build our plants in such a way that, if bombs should fall on any part of them, the damaged department can be taken out of production and a substitute can increase its output, so that production in other parts of the plant will not be held up. The main job, of course, is up to the Air Force, whose duty it is to see that enemy planes never reach the factory."

The directors insisted that no anti-aircraft guns were in position near the plant, but they admitted that they would be rushed to the neighbourhood should war break out.

In the days before the Nazis assumed power the German Army, which, under the Treaty of Versailles, was forbidden heavy artillery, prepared well-camouflaged hide-outs for the guns they hoped to own some day. It must be assumed that since those days preparations have advanced.

It is true, German experts declare, that Germany is still short of divisional artillery; but Leipzig is one of the main centres of the German motorised army, and the Leuna Works, with its numerous plants established in the neighbourhood, would certainly be protected with anti-aircraft guns a few hours after mobilisation.

SALTPETRE AND ALCOHOL

The plant is really a combination of several factories. Its main products are synthetic saltpetre, synthetic petrol and lubricating oils. They are made from bituminous coal, taken from the pits in Central Germany. In addition, artificial fertilisers are produced. They are derived from the synthetic saltpetre for the production of which the factory was originally built.

In 1916, when Germany was in desperate need of saltpetre for ammunition, Fritz Haber and Carl Bosch discovered a method of producing nitrogen and saltpetre from the air. Then, when saltpetre was no longer needed for the manufacture of explosives, chemists turned it into artificial fertilisers, which play an important part in Germany's fight for self-sufficiency.

In 1923 the Leuna Works started producing synthetic alcohols, which are used chiefly in internal combustion engines.

To-day they produce 370,000 tons of petrol annually, which, added to the benzene produced in other German plants, provides Germany with a total of 1,000,000 tons annually, or about half of her present needs.

Boy Of Seventeen Jumps 6,000 Ft.

Seventeen-year-old Albert Gourd, of Eastern-street, Bristol, had always wanted to do a parachute drop.

So he did it, from 6,000ft. over the Clifton Suspension Bridge, Bristol.

HE landed on the roof of a house in Woodland-road, Bristol, and there remained hanging until rescued by means of a ladder.

Gourd, who is a member of the R.A.F. Reserve at Filton, said he had only been up once before, and had told his friends that he would do a jump.

"They kept chipping me," he said, "so I did it. I asked the R.A.F. if I could jump, but they refused."

"I went up this evening as an air gunner. The pilot did not know what I intended to do."

"I just took the parachute from the rack, attached it to the harness

Risked Life To Hang A Dummy

Undergraduates who looked out of their windows at Keble College, Oxford, were shocked to see what appeared to be a body hanging by about seven feet of rope from a gargoyles on a lofty tower above the quadrangle.

On investigation it was found that the "body" was a dummy. Some unknown climber had achieved a dangerous feat in which one false step would have led to real tragedy.

There have been other climbing escapades at Keble, and the college has been put to great expense repairing damage done by early-morning "mountaineers."

Godiva A Doubtful Starter

There may, after all, be on Lady Godiva in "nude" fleshings, mounted on a white charger, when Teddington, Middlesex, carnival takes place next month.

On the eve of choosing the girl to fill the role from the 18 applicants, the Fete Committee is discussing whether, after all, such a figure is "quite nice."

Last-minute qualms have been roused by a storm of protest by residents.

People who have helped with the carnival in previous years have refused to help this year unless Lady Godiva is withdrawn from the procession.

Mr. Ernest Green, retired business man, of Connaught Road, Teddington, has written in protest:

"Is our memorial hospital and health centre to be thus used for debasing the young womanhood and manhood of Teddington under the guise of charity?"

BIG GOLD RUSH

What prospectors describe as a rich gold strike has been made in the Franklin River area in the west of Vancouver Island.

There has been a rush of engineers and prospectors to the spot, cables the *Sunday Dispatch* Vancouver correspondent.

The Dominion Government report describes the area as possessing a remarkable mineralised mass, justifying thorough prospecting.

Assays give high values of gold and silver.

Grounds For Spanking

VISALIA, Cal.
Chief of Police Harold Hicks proved himself a super G-man when a frightened citizen rushed in with a postal card demanding \$480 "or else." After an intensive study of the card he asked the man if by any chance he had a young son who read detective stories. He had.



A new picture of President Edward Benes, troubled President of Czechoslovakia. He recently told 40,000 school children who called to congratulate him, in Prague, on his forthcoming 64th birthday, that "every citizen of this country may be sure of his constitutional rights and all nationalities are called to co-operate, so they can enjoy full freedom."

TRAMP WHO MET CZAR PUSHES A BARROW

Strange Career Of "The Vagabond"

There lives in Newbury a man whose story must be one of the strangest in the world—Mr. William Brockway, of Kennet Road, 6ft. 6in. giant, who likes to be called "The Vagabond."

Britain Builds Liner In Record Period

Birkenhead.
What is believed to be a record in shipbuilding will be established on July 28 when the Cunard White Star liner *Mauretania*, 33,000 tons gross, constructed for the London-New York service, is launched from the Cammell Laird yard here, writes Hector C. Bywater in the *Daily Telegraph*.

This vessel, the largest intermediate liner so far built in this country and the greatest ship ever constructed in England, was laid down on May 24, 1937.

Since then about 17,000 tons of steel have been worked into her structure. The hull, with its seven decks, is complete, and the plating of the upper part of the liner, comprising the promenade, sun and sports decks, is well advanced.

To bring a ship of this size to the launching stage in 14 months is an astonishing feat, the more so as Cammell Laird is simultaneously building about 15 other vessels, including the 35,000-ton battleship *Prince of Wales*.

When ready for sea next spring the *Mauretania* will displace about 37,000 tons. Her maiden voyage will coincide with the New York World Fair.

Normally the ship will sail from the King George V. Dock, North Woolwich, but whenever the Queen Mary or the Queen Elizabeth is laid up for overhaul she will fill the gap on the Southampton-Cherbourg-New York route.

Everything about the *Mauretania* is on the imposing scale. The main gear-wheels interposed between the turbines and the twin-propeller shafts are the largest ever built for a liner, measuring 40-ft. in circumference and weighing 85 tons each.

The propellers, which are now being cast in London, weigh 25 tons each and are equal in size to those of the 81,000-ton *Queen Mary*.

So farward is the work in the ship that she is already receiving her launching coat of paint.

In view of the important Admiralty work now proceeding in the yard, it is probable that when the ship is launched naval vessels will be screened off by scaffolding and canvas.

Three Lipsticks Jailed Him

Toronto.
Seventeen-year-old Russell Burdick, who held up Miss Ruth Cary at the point of a revolver and stole her purse, has been sentenced to ten lashes and twelve months' imprisonment at Lindsay, Ontario. His "haul"? Three lipsticks.



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The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Books

H.K. Banks, \$1,400 n.
H.K. Banks (Lon. Reg.), £80 n.
Chartered Banks, £11 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B. £22 n.
Mercantile Bank, C. £13 1/2 n.
East Asia Bank, \$90 n.

Insurances

Canton Ins., \$240 n.
Union Ins., \$503 n.
China Underwriters, \$2 1/2 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$220 n.

Shipping

Douglas, \$89 n.
H.K. Steamships, \$21 1/2 n.
Indo-Chinas (Pref.), \$60 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$24 n.
Shell Bearer 93/10 n.
Union Waterboats, \$9 b.

Docks etc.

H.K. & Wharves, \$124 b. and su.
H.K. Docks (old), \$20 b.
H.K. & W. Docks (new), \$10 1/4 b.
Providents (old), \$330 b.
Providents (new), \$320 b.
New Engineering, Sh. \$290 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$117 n.
Kallan Mining Adm., 15/0 n.
Rauhs, \$9 1/2 b.
Venz, Goldfield, \$3 b.
Hongkong Mines, 7 cts n.
Philippine Mining

Antamoks, P. 3 1/2 sa.
Atoks, P. 26 sa.
Benguet Consol., P. 21 sa.
Benguet Explor., P. —
Big Wedge, P. —
Coco Grove, P. —
Consolidated Mines, P. —
Demonstrations, P. —
E. Mindanao, P. —
Gumanao, P. —
Ipe Gold, P. —
I.K.L., P. —
Itogons, P. —
Min. Resources, P. —
Northern Min., P. —
Paracale Gumanao, P. —
Salacot Mining, P. —
San Mateo, P. 4 1/2 sa.
Suyo Consol., P. 18 sa.
United Paracales P. 2 1/2 sa.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$635 b.
H.K. Lands, \$34 1/2 b.
H.K. Lands, 4% Deben \$103 b.
Shai Lands, Sh. \$9 1/2 b.
Metropolitan Land, Sh. —
Humphries, \$30 b.
H.K. Realities, \$5 1/2 b.
Chinese Estates, \$100 n.
China Realities, Sh. —
China Deben, —

Public Utilities
H.K. Tramways, \$1740 b.
Peak Tram (old), \$6 1/2 b.
Peak Tram (new), \$3 1/2 n.
Star Ferries, \$77 sa.
Yaumati Ferries (old), \$23 1/2 b.
Yaumati Ferries rights \$21 1/2 b.
China Light (old), \$1110 n.
China Light (new), \$9 n.
H.K. Electric, \$59 1/2 b.
Macao Electric, \$18 1/2 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$9 1/2 n.
Telephone (old), \$2800 b.
Telephone (new), \$920 b.
China Buses, Sh. —
Singapore Tractions, 24/- n.
Singapore Pref., 23/6 n.

Stores, &c.
Cold: Macg. (old), Sh. \$14 n.
Cold: Macg. (Prof.), Sh. \$14 n.
Canton Ice, \$1.70 n.
Cements, \$16.20 b. and sa.
H.K. Ropes, \$4.00 n.

Miscellaneous
Dairy Farm, \$24 sa.
Watsons, \$605 b.
Lane Crawford, \$8.70 n.
Sinceres, \$2.20 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$50 n.
William Powell, Ltd., 70 cts n.
Cotton Mills
Ewo Cotton, Sh. \$15 sa.
Shai Cotton (old), Sh. \$76 n.
Zong Sing, Sh. \$27 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$42 n.

Consolidated China
H.K. Entertainments, \$6.00 n.
Constructions, \$1 1/2 n.
Vibro Piling, \$5 1/2 n.
Ch. Govt. 4% 1925 G.Bonds, 7 1/2 prm. n.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6 1/2 prm. n.
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2 Loan 3% prm. n.
Wallace Harpers, —
Marmans Ins. (Lon.), s/- 13/6 n.
Marmans Ins. (H.K.), s/- 3/11 n.
Consolidated China Providents (old), \$6.60 sa.
Consolidated China Providents (new), \$8.40 sa.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at La Salle Road, Kowloon Tsi, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

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EXECUTION PRECIPITATES GRAVE PALESTINE RIOTS

(Continued from Page 1.)

victed of shooting at a flour mill near Lydda.

Arrested persons include Yezelle Stimatzky, leader of the Zionist Revisionists, and Dr. Ephraim Wasehitz, president of the Jerusalem branch of the New Zionist Organisation.—United Press.

TROOPS TAKE OVER

Jerusalem, July 7. All Arab and Jewish police officers have been temporarily suspended from service in Jerusalem, where British troops have taken over the task of garrisoning and policing the city.—Trans-Ocean.

TROOPS ON THEIR WAY

London, July 7. While latest reports of terrorist outbreaks in Palestine are viewed with anxiety in London, there is no disposition to believe that the situation is getting out of hand.

In view of the nature of the country and the type of disturbances, the problem of keeping order would be more a matter for mobile police than the military authorities. Nevertheless, cantonments are now being constructed to house the additional brigade of troops which, as announced last May, will be sent to Palestine in the autumn, making the total military strength in Palestine three brigades.

Should the situation at any time be deemed sufficiently serious, the High Commissioner can delegate military powers with respect to the whole country to the General Officer Commanding the military forces in Palestine.—Reuter Special.

TWO BATTALIONS TO PALESTINE

London, July 8. Two Battalions of British troops have been ordered to Palestine from Egypt at the earliest possible date.—Reuter.

EMERALD FOR HAIFA

Jerusalem, July 7. H.M.S. Emerald is expected to arrive at Haifa this afternoon in view of the tense situation there.

Official figures dealing with yesterday's terrorist outrages in Haifa give twenty-one Arabs and six Jews killed, 92 Arabs and eleven Jews injured. Further outrages occurred to-day, when a Deputy Police Superintendent had a narrow escape when a bomb was flung into his car outside the Hotel Nazareth. His revolver jammed when he attempted to fire on the escaping assailant.—Reuter.

MARTIAL LAW POSSIBLE

Jerusalem, July 7. British troops are being held in readiness for a possible proclamation of Martial Law, simultaneously with an extension of the curfew in Jerusalem and Haifa.

A grenade thrown into a crowd of Arabs near David's Tower, killing a man and wounding two women, a child and six men, opened the second day of terrorism.

British police are exhausted after 18 hours continuous duty. Tension is now high throughout the country.—United Press.

H.M.S. REPULSE ALSO

In addition to H.M.S. Emerald, the Admiralty has despatched H.M.S. Repulse to Haifa.

H.M.S. Emerald was proceeding to England from the East Indies station when she was diverted to Haifa, where she arrived at 4 p.m. to-day. H.M.S. Repulse is due to-morrow.—United Press.

EMPIRE NEWS

Sydney, Apr. 21. The relation of defence to Imperial foreign policy will be one of the chief subjects of discussion in the Federal Parliament on April 27.

Mr. Curtin, Leader of the Opposition, made a statement to-day on loan policy in view of the meeting of the Loan Council this week. He said he was opposed to the idea of States being asked to curtail their borrowings by the amount which the Commonwealth desired to raise by an internal loan for the defence programme.

Mr. Curtin declared that Australia must not be asked to finance defence at the expense of the States' unemployment relief works and the nation's proper economic development.

The Navy is proposing to establish an anti-submarine school on the lines of that at Portland and to train an expert personnel in the technique of anti-submarine work. Three vessels of secret design will be built at Sydney, equipped with the latest anti-submarine devices. Equipment will also be stored at the chief ports with which to convert merchant ships to anti-submarine flotilla in wartime.

April Rain.—Driven before a cyclonic gusty wind the best April rains for some years swept Victoria. Easter attractions were ruined, but the deluge was welcomed by graziers and wheat farmers. The rain came after a six-weeks' dry spell which had burned up pastures and held up wheat sowing.

FASTER AIR MAIL

Cape Town, Apr. 21. The first air mail delivered by the accelerated Imperial Airways schedule arrived at Cape Town to-day, five and a half days after leaving Southampton.

The flying boat Coriolanus—the last of the three machines used by Imperial Airways on their section of the service—arrived at Durban at 2.56 yesterday afternoon, two hours ahead of schedule. The mails were brought on to Cape Town by South African Airways to-day, and arrived here early this afternoon.

Motor Marathon.—Cape Town competitors in the Round the Union Motor Marathon are beginning to trickle in to the finishing post. They report a terrific struggle against atrocious road conditions. In places the mud was three feet deep. The whole Johannesburg contingent, which was due at Kimberley at 11 a.m., had not been heard of late this afternoon. The drivers are probably held up by flooded rivers in the Karroo.

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

	New York, July 7.
New York Cotton	
July	9.14/14
October	9.09/09
December	9.18/10
Jan. (1939)	9.17/18
Mar. (1939)	9.23/23
May (1939)	9.25/25
Sept.	9.04/04

	New York Rubber
July	15.24N
September	15.75/74
December	15.82/81
March	15.85/80
May	15.47/48
July	15.56/58

	Chicago Wheat
July	71 1/2/71
September	72 3/4/72
December	74 3/4/74

	Chicago Corn
July	57 1/2/57 1/2
September	59 1/2/59 1/2
December	59 3/4/59 3/4

	Winnipeg Wheat
July	95 1/2/95 1/2
October	80 3/4/80 3/4
December	78 3/4/78 3/4

MR. WILLIAMSON RETURNS

Mr. S. T. Williamson returned to the Colony to-day by the s.s. Tairāwhiti after a business trip to New Zealand and Australia. Whilst in Australia Mr. Williamson met the Governor-General, and was in contact with both the Australian and New Zealand Governments in connection with his work as Honorary Australian Trade Commissioner for Australia and Agent for New Zealand.

FIVE MORE CASES OF CHOLERA

Five cases of cholera, six cases of typhoid and four cases of dysentery were reported to the health authorities yesterday.

Four of the cholera cases were discovered in the residential area of the city, the remaining case coming from a craft in the harbour.

One of the six cases of typhoid was imported into the Colony.

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From	Per	Due.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 3rd July.	Imperial Airways Plane	July 8.
Tientsin and Swatow	Hupoh	July 9.
Japan and Shanghai	Jean Laborde	July 9.
Shanghai and Swatow	Meerkirk	July 9.
Shanghai and Amoy	Soochow	July 9.
Shanghai	Tsinan	July 9.
Straits	Autolyceus	July 10.
Amoy	Menelaus	July 10.
Straits	Tjengara	July 10.
Shanghai and Swatow	Bangalore	July 11.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 30th June.	Pan-American Airways Plane	July 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Ajax	July 11.
U.S.A., Canada and Japan (Seattle date, 22nd June)	President Jefferson	July 12.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 7th July.	Imperial Airways Plane	July 13.
Java	Tjinalok	July 13.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Friday		
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Hohow	Fri., July 8, 4.30 p.m.
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow, Chang-sha and Chengtu, etc. (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (to further points by Surface transport as Services permit).	Eurasia Plane	Fri., July 8.
	G. P. O. and K. P. O.	Reg., July 8, 4.30 p.m.
	Ord.,	July 8, 5 p.m.
Manila	Foylebank	Fri., July 8, 5.00 p.m.
Straits, Sandakan, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 5th August.	Ranchi	Fri., July 8.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Reg., July 8, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	July 9, 9.45 a.m.
	Ord.,	July 9, 10.50 a.m.
Saturday		
Samshui and Wuchow	Taiming	Sat., July 9, 8.15 a.m.
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 15th July.	Ranchi	Sat., July 9.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Reg., July 9, 8.30 p.m.
	Ord.,	July 9, 10 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Kutsang	Sat., July 9.
	Parcels,	July 9, Noon.
	Ord.,	July 9, 1 p.m.
	Canton	Sat., July 9, 2 p.m.
Hai Phong		
Manila, "Saigon, Bangkok," "Straits," "Batavia, Mauritius, Reunion, Madagascar, Laurence Marques and South Africa.	Boissevain	Sat., July 9, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and "Europe via Siberia"	Jean Laborde	Sat., July 9, 3.30 p.m.
Air Mail for "France Orient Airways direct Service"—due Marseilles, 24th July.	Lycemoon	Sat., July 9.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Reg., July 9, 4 p.m.
	Ord.,	July 9, 4.30 p.m.
Amoy	Anshun	Sat., July 9, 5 p.m.
Japan	Islami	Sat., July 9, 5 p.m.
Hohow, Pakhoi and Hai Phong	Kiangsu	Sat., July 9, 5 p.m.
Saigon	Lycemoon	Sat., July 9, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for "Wuchow and Chungking by the "C.N.A.C. Airways Direct Service."	C.N.A.C. Plane	Sat., July 9.
	G. P. O. and K. P. O.	Reg., July 9, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	July 10, 10 a.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 17th July.	Imperial Airways Plane	Sat., July 9.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Reg., July 9, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	July 10, Noon.
Air Mail for Malaya and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Darwin, 14th July.	Imperial Airways Plane	Sat., July 9.
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Reg., July 9, 5 p.m.
	Ord.,	July 10, Noon.
Sunday		
Amoy and Shanghai	Szechuen	Sun., July 10, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Yochow	Sun., July 10, 9 a.m.
Manila	Meerkirk	Sun., July 10, 9.00 a.m.
Monday		
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A. by the "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 18th July.	Pan-American Airways Plane	Mon., July 11.
	K. P. O.	Reg., July 11, 9 a.m.
	Ord.,	July 11, 9.30 a.m.
	G. P. O.	Reg., July 11, 9 a.m.
	Ord.,	July 11, 9.30 a.m.
Kongmoon	Tai Lee	Mon., July 11, 11 a.m.
Tuesday		
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tilengara	Tues., July 12, 8.30 a.m.
Kongmoon	On Lee	Tues., July 12, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Shanghai and Tientsin	Yachang	Tues., July 12, 12.30 p.m.
Straits and "Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, August 12 and London	Ajao	Tues., July 12.
Parcels—due London, August 18.	G. P. O. and K. P. O.	Reg., July 12, 8 p.m.
	Reg.,	July 13, 8.45 a.m.
	Ord.,	July 13, 9.30 a.m.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN PICTURES FROM FAR AND NEAR

Hongkong Telegraph PHOTONEWS

HAPPENINGS AS SEEN BY THE CAMERA'S EYE



English pressure on both Czechoslovakia and Germany was said to have averted temporarily another world war, starting between the two disputing nations. Above is Jan Masaryk, right, Czechoslovakian Minister to London, leaving the British Foreign Office with Sir Lancelot Oliphant, deputy Under-Secretary of State, after a conference.



This W. W. Radiophoto from London shows Charley Yates, left, of Atlanta, receiving golf trophy after winning the British amateur championship in Troon, Scotland. Presentation is by Troon Captain Lindsay Carlow, right, while Cecil Ewing of Ireland, runner-up, looks on, centre.



America has a way of raising up her own royalty, and among the newest crop of queens are these, shown above. Upper left, Jane Sutton, West Roxbury, Mass., Queen of May at Skidmore college, Saratoga, N. Y.; upper right, Marjorie Winston, May Queen at Duke University, Roanoke, Va., and lower panel, Sally McOulough, Galveston's Oleander Queen.



Laughing and gay here are Federal troops leaving Valles, San Luis Potosi, in a troop train bound for the hills in the Mexican state to start military operations against General Saturnino Cedillo, leader of the Insurrectionists. President Cardenas issued a manifesto calling upon all rebels to lay down their arms. But General Cedillo, who has revolted against "dictatorship," is leading an army of 14,000 armed Indian peasants, ready for warfare against Federalists in the hills.



At left is President Lazaro Cardenas of Mexico, as he arrived at Valles, in the insurrectionist state of San Luis Potosi, at the outbreak of the Cedillo rebellion. He is receiving a report from one of his officers. Later he called on the rebels to lay down their arms. But many of the peasants followed General Cedillo into the hills.



General view of the 34th Eucharistic Congress of the Roman Catholic church, in the Heldenplatz (Heroes' Square), Budapest, Hungary. Thousands of pilgrims from all over the world attended this outstanding demonstration of religious faith.

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Berlin.....	12.20 1/4	12.28
Athens.....	547 1/2	547 1/2
Milan.....	93 1/2	93 1/2
Oslo.....	19.50	19.50
Amsterdam.....	898 1/4	895 3/4
Copenhagen.....	22.40	22.40
Stockholm.....	19.39 1/2	19.39 1/2
Prague.....	142 1/2	142 1/2
Helsinki.....	220 1/2	220 1/2
Brussels.....	26.15	26.15
New York.....	4.94 1/2	4.93 1/2
Vienna.....	Nom.	Nom.
Lyon.....	110 1/2	110 1/2
Hongkong.....	1s. 8d.	1s. 3d.
Shanghai.....	8 1/4d.	8 1/4d.
Bombay.....	1/5 1/2	1/5 1/2
Manila.....	4.08	4.07 1/2
Yokohama.....	1/2	1/2
Belgrade.....	217	217
Bucharest.....	0.72 1/4	0.72 1/4
Montevideo.....	20 1/4	20 1/4
Buenos Aires.....	10.99 1/2	10.00 1/4
Pia de Janeiro.....	2 1/2	2 1/2
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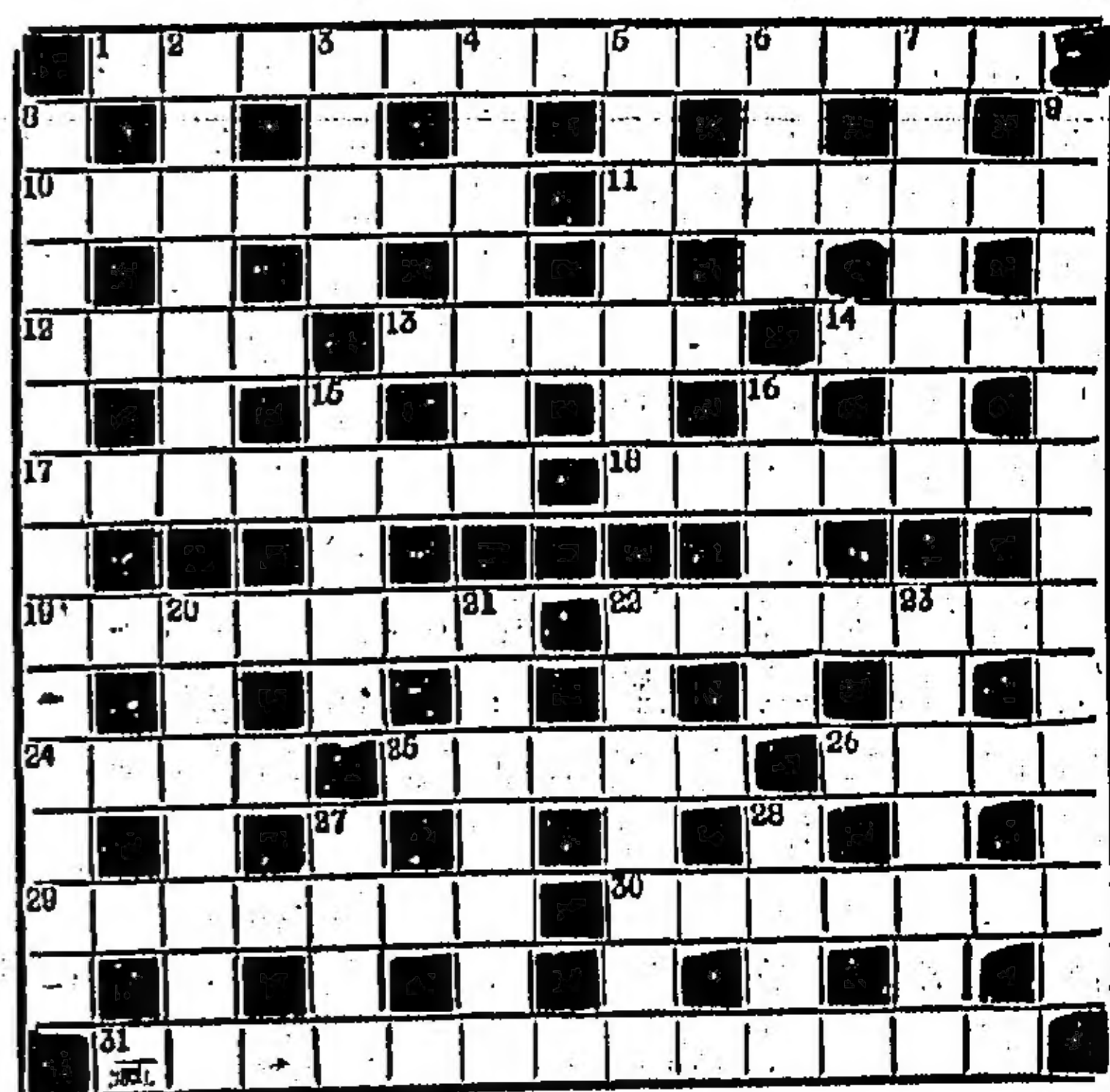
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- ACROSS
- The exaggeration might be an umpire's announcement (13).
 - Ask the relatives for a vegetable (7).
 - A character that needs hardening (7).
 - A cousin of the stork (4).
 - This wood is important in the film industry (5).
 - Raw material for food should be enough to satisfy one (4).
 - Was this novelist wild-looking? (17).
 - A temporary expedient (7).
 - This famous engineer had not so great a start (7).
 - "A stripe" (anag.) (7).
 - Not the sort of tide to strain 20 across (4).
 - Part of a billiard table to hinder one? (6).
 - This tan suggests fortitude (4).
 - A tidal barrier in a way (7).
 - A sea-creature and a plant both share one name (7).
 - Sympathy (15).
- DOWN
- Poor music might be charming in a bad way (7).
 - The gardener can use this bad man (4).
 - If you wanted to repay a man thus you would have to add nothing to the loan (7).
 - Rising ground of grave significance (7).
 - They have measured many a— to trend a measure with you on this grass? ("Love's Labour's Lost") (4).
 - One of course might become ten after (7).
 - "Sterling ships" (anag.) (13).
 - Perfect regularity that would be sweet for the waiter to carry out (two words—8, 5).
 - If you upset her you will certainly get the blame for it (5).
 - "Full fathom five thy father lies: Of his bones are—made" ("Tempest") (5).
 - This vegetable is not a marine growth (7).
 - Everything in the exhibition is lacking in depth (7).
 - This sort of dishonesty is bad in a boy (7).
 - A serious blow (7).
 - Room in 21 down (4).
 - Say a Swiss patriot (4).
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ITALIANS PRAISE JAPANESE

Prowess Of Army Widely Acclaimed

Rome, July 7.
The first anniversary of the Sino-Japanese war was extensively noted in Italian newspapers by articles praising the Japanese military prowess.—Reuter.

CONQUEST IMPOSSIBLE

Berlin, July 7.
"The unity of 450,000,000 people in China will succeed in driving out the enemy and restoring the integrity and sovereignty of our land," said the Chinese Ambassador, in an address to 400 Chinese residents of Germany on the occasion of the first anniversary of the Sino-Japanese War.

"Japan will never bring China to her knees. The deeper the Japanese invade our land the greater will be the difficulties they will encounter."—Reuter.

"QUARANTINE" URGED

Washington, July 7.
Seven hundred Chinese paraded through the streets of the nation's capital to-day, afterward attending a patriotic mass meeting at which a resolution was passed urging President Roosevelt to "quarantine aggressors" and halt shipments of war supplies to Japan.
The meeting unanimously pledged support to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.—United Press.

CAUSED PUBLIC MISCHIEF, SAYS ODD CHARGE

An unusual case was heard before Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy this morning, when Chan Wo. 43, and Chan Hing, 48, were charged with causing public mischief. Detective Sub-Inspector Darlin prosecuted, and said that the facts of the case were: On June 14, by means of certain false statements contained in a letter saying that Constable 279 had extorted the sum of \$1,500 from Au Sze, defendant had caused officers of the Hongkong Police to devote their time and services investigating a false allegation.

On being questioned, first defendant said that he had nothing to do with the matter except that he had been asked to write the letter by the second defendant.

This was admitted by the second defendant who added he wished to obtain legal advice on the matter. The case was then adjourned till to-morrow morning.

USED VIOLENCE ON CREDITOR

Charged with inflicting grievous bodily harm on Cheung Pak, shop assistant, at Elgin Street, Chan Sze-long, unemployed, was sentenced to two weeks' imprisonment, and to pay \$5 compensation to the complainant, or serve another week's imprisonment, by Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith at the Central Magistracy to-day.
According to Detective-Sergeant Terret, the defendant called on the complainant to collect a debt of fifty cents, and being unsuccessful he picked up a file and struck the complainant on the head.

WOMAN CATCHES SNATCH THIEF

Caught by a woman after he had snatched a pair of gold earrings from another woman, Li Chung-ping, 26, was sentenced to six months' hard labour and eight strokes of the cane when he was charged before Mr. Q. A. A. Macdonald at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Doctor Struck Off at 67

By H. L. McNally

"This is a cruel sentence, but my work will go on. More good work has been done in my institute than in many of the consulting-rooms of Harley-street."

In a broken voice, grey-haired, 67-years-old Dr. Henry Nunan Collier, of Chalfont St. Peters, Buckinghamshire, told me this in an ante-room of the General Medical Council in Hallam-street, W.

This man, fifth generation of a family of doctors, had just heard the dread sentence of the Council that his name be erased from the Federal Register for "infamous conduct in a professional respect." Even the eloquence of his counsel Lord Reading, had failed to save him.

The charge against him which the council held proved, was that he was medical adviser to the Institute of Endocrinology, Bakers-street, W., that he had obtained patents by advertising, and that he had countenanced treatment being given by an unregistered person.

"WHAT WILL THEY THINK?" Dr. Collier had stood gripping the edge of the little dock while some 60 of his most distinguished colleagues watched him impassively. In secret they considered their verdict, then waited for Sir Norman Walker, the aged president, to announce it.

Dr. Collier swayed a little as he heard the Registrar directed to erase his name from the Register. From that moment he was no longer a doctor. He walked in a daze into the ante-room, where an aged woman gripped his hands in silent sympathy.

For a while he was unable to speak. "What will my family think of me?" he said to me. "I attended a great many stars of the theatrical profession. What will they think of me now? It is very cruel for me, one of a family of doctors. My great uncle was the first doctor to use chloroform with Sir James Simpson (pioneer of anaesthesia in 1847) in Edinburgh."

"But I shall continue my work with the Institute. I have had so many letters of sympathy and encouragement from patients that I must go on."

Evidence was given that Dr. Collier wrote to the council: "I consider I have been doing nothing contrary to the honour of the profession. I have never had my name on any advertisement scheme. . . . But if the council do not consider I have a right to do the work I am doing, kindly accede to my request remove my name voluntarily so that I may act freely."

"AT MY AGE—"

Mr. Bryan Percy, the patient, said he answered an advertisement by the Institute which said that treatment could be given in any town in Britain and that only one visit was necessary to the Institute.

He was suffering from dyspepsia and paid 15 guineas on account for 30-guineas course of treatment. The Institute sent him pills and tablets which did him good and ampoules for injections, given by a nurse at Grantham, which did not. He refused to pay the balance, was sued, alleged fraud and the Institute withdrew the action and repaid the 15 guineas.

Dr. Collier said he was paid a salary but no commission on patients seen. "At my age I cannot go into practice—it is difficult to get anything."

Baby Falls 15 Feet, Unhurt

CLEVELAND.
X-ray pictures failed to show that 17-months-old Ernest Cowan had been injured in a 15-foot fall from a second floor porch.

PEIPING STERNLY RULED

Virtual Martial Law Enforced

Peiping, July 7.
The Provisional Government ordered all gangs to be half-muzzled, but few were muzzled.

Meanwhile the Chinese populace is virtually under Martial Law, with the police searching passers-by in the main streets continually since yesterday afternoon. All inns were ransacked. One inn was searched on six occasions yesterday.

A large number of Chinese were arrested last night, including one of the editors of the official Hsin Min Pao.

Police were seen frequently conducting groups of arrested Chinese to gaol.

Police circles boast that Peiping's most important Communist was arrested yesterday, but there is no official confirmation of the report.

The atmosphere of expectant tension, so noticeable yesterday, relaxed considerably this afternoon as nothing happened.—United Press.

GRATEFUL TO CANADA'S OFFER TO TRAIN PILOTS

London, July 7.
In the House of Commons to-day, asked by Mr. Clement Attlee, leader of the Labour Opposition, if the Canadian Government was prepared to afford facilities for the training of pilots for the R.A.F. in its own establishments, Sir Kingsley Wood, the Minister for Air, replied in the affirmative.

Sir Kingsley added that a reply had been sent to the Canadian Government, expressing warm appreciation of its offer.

Arrangements were being made, in accordance with the suggestion by the Canadian Premier, Mr. W. Mackenzie King, to send immediately an officer to Canada to explore the possibilities of working out a scheme.—Reuter.

HURT IN TRAM ACCIDENTS

Reports of two tram car accidents were received by the police yesterday, and in both instances the injured persons were sent to the Queen Mary Hospital for treatment.

Injuries to the head were sustained by Lee Yiu, 40, when she was knocked down by tram No. 40 in Des Voeux Road Central, while a 17-year-old boy, Chee Ching-poi, was also injured in the head when he jumped off a moving tram in Johnston Road.

CRUSHED TO DEATH IN MINE MISHAP

The Lin Ma Hang Mines, New Territories, was the scene of a fatal accident yesterday, when Chu Loting, 44, fell while working on one of the ore trucks, and was crushed between the side of the tunnel, and the truck.

The accident occurred at the No. 3 row level.

CAUGHT WITH OPIUM

Charged with possession of opium and keeping an opium den at a flat in New Market Street, Kwan Lo, 47, appeared before Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith at Central Magistracy this morning and was fined \$135 or, in default, two months' imprisonment, and sentenced to a further two months' imprisonment.

KNOCKED DOWN BY CAR

Serious head injuries were received by a man named Tam Wai, 25, when he was knocked down by a car in King's Road, near the Chinese Athletic Swimming Club yesterday. The man was sent to the Queen Mary hospital and his condition is regarded as serious.

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